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TELEGRAMS. SPECIAL

(From Our Own Correspondent).

CREW OF A WRECKED STEAMER.

Singapore, April 24. The steamer Physa has brought in the captain and crew of the s.s. Gaper Shell, who had been wrecked off the African coast.

SINGAPORE DOCTOR HONOURED.

Singapore, April 24. Dr. Bardhan, Assistant Pathologist at the Hospital, has been presented by His Excellency the Governor with the badge and sanad of the title of Rai Sahib granted to him by the Government of India.

A SHIPPING DELAY.

Singapore, April 24. The British India steamship Fultala, with mails on board, had to put back to port with a burst steam pipe. She re-sailed in the afternoon.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

DEATH OF DR. TIMOTHY RICHARD.

London, April 20. The death is announced of Doctor Timothy Richard, D.D., Litt D., the well known Baptist Missionary, aged 74 years. Dr. Richard saw much service in China. He was Public Almoner in the greatest famine in history, lecturer to Man darins, adviser to the Governor of Shansi and to the Emperor Kuang Hau. He was chosen by the Chinese to represent them in the arbitration after the Boxer Trouble. He had many Chinese decorations and was given the rank of Mandarin of the first grade. With his colleagues he published more than 200 books.

THE INDIAN SITUATION

Calcutta, 'April 11. The week-end passive resistance demonstrations, which the Marwaris began by interfering with trampassengers, the closing of shops and a taxicab strike, culminated in serious rioting in the Indian quarter. Several Europeans were assaulted. The police were stoned and some officers were injured. The military were called out and compelled to fire, causing a dozen casualties, after which order was restored. The military are guarding the Indian quarter,

From Lahore several agitators have been deported to an anknown destination. The General commanding told the shopkeepers that unless they open within forty-eight hours their shops will be forced and the contents auctioned.

At Simla on the 15th a mob at Gugranwala in the Punjab attacked a train and wrecked the railway station. Aeroplanes from Lahore bombed and machine-gunned the crowd. London, April 20.

The Press Bureau says the Viceroy telegraphed to-day that all is quiet at Lahore. A number of people are coming in repentant. A mob today attacked the station of Narobi. The Bengal State Offences Regulation has been extended to Gujarat District. Railway communications have been restored. Mobile columns are working and arrests have been made. In the North West Frontier Province nothing is reported. In Delhi the shops are open. "All is quiet in Bombay Presidency. Two agitators distributing inflammatory leaflets were arrested. From Calcutta nothing is reported.

CANTON TIMES.

Comm. Z. H. Volpicelli, Consul General for Italy, at Canton will soon leave here for Italy. The Hon. Mr. Tsen Chun-Asuan, and Shameen, against a number the Hon. Mr. Wu Ting-fang, of German debtors for over-Administrative Directors of the drawing from the said Bank Constitutionalist Government and other prominent leaders will accordhima farewell reception on with interest, at last came to an Saturday next, April 26, at the end a few days ago, when the Government Buildings.

By order of the Civil Governor. the Financial Commissioner has at-Law, appeared for the plainappropriated a sum of \$5,000 to the Athletic Party to the Eastern | defended by lawyers. Olympiad. But the Provincial Treasury is so empty that even this small amount of \$5,000 had to be borrowed from Mr. Chan Lim-pak, Compradore of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

new French Silk Co., will be happened recently that the Siam- War Memorial Committee will opened early next month in the eseauthorities interfered with the French Concession, Shameen. Chinese schools and compelled Mr. J. J. Pasquier is appointed the Chinese children to study the as the manager, and Mr. Wong Siamese language instead of speaking for his scheme. King Chuen, a wealthy merchant | Chinese. The Chinese residents has obtained the compradoreship in Siam have appointed a delega-Government.—Canton Times.

With the exception of several cases which had been withdrawn by the plaintiffs, the cases of the Bureau of Liquidation of the Deutsch-Asiatische Bank, the sum of more than \$370,000. Local Court of Justice gave judgment for the plaintiffs with costs. Mr. H. Y. Loo, M. A., Barristertiffs. The defendants were not

interfering, with the freedom of Cie. Gle. d'Extreme-Orient, a the Chinese residents there as it

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CONSTABLE FINED FOR EXCEEDING HIS DUTY.

A cross-summons for assau was to-day brought by Mr. J. M d'Almada Remedios against the Indian constable in connection day. with the recent case in which he was fined \$9 on a charge of assaulting the constable when the latter ordered him to "keep to the pavement." The constable was fined \$2 on the cross-summons, it being found that he used unnecessary force in the execution of his duty.

His Worship, in giving his decision, said that at the previous hearing, the only evidence he could go on was that of the two witnesses in the case of assault, He afterwards enquired from the C.S.P. to what extent the latter could rely on the Indian constables, and the information given was to the effect that Mr. Wolfe could not always rely on the Indians to act according to their instructions. His Wership believed that in the present case the Indian had exceeded his instruct-His Worship thought, when the case first came up, that 2.12. the Indian was acting within his instructions in regulating pedestrian traffic crossing the road. Worship now came to the conclusion that it would be right not to convict the defendant Remedios for assaulting the Police because the Indian constable had exceeded his duty in the beginning in using force about it. For that reason he (his Worship) was prepared to bold that the Indian had exceeded his duty in his instructions, and that he was to blame for the trouble which hal been caused. His Worship rather thought at the time that the Indian constable was right, but he gathered afterwards that he was not justified in his actions. He would, therefore, regard the defendant Remedios as discharged. Having regard to the fact that the Indian exceeded his duty in using unnecessary violence towards Remedios and in bringing him to the Station, his Worship thought that the Indian should pay a small sum as a fine, or that the penalty which had been inflicted on the defendant thould be transferred to the Indian constable, to mark that it was not necessary

Mr. Shenton said that they were quite satisfied with the decision. They were not vindictive in any sense of the word.

for him to use so much force in

any cases of this sort.

His Worship said that there was reason to inflict a fine on the constable. It was to make the constables more careful.

The Indian constable was fined \$2 on the cross-summons and was cautioned by the Magistrate.

WAR MEMORIAL SCHEME

SUGGESTIONS STILL COMING, IN.

The War Memorial scheme is not now being so keenly discussed in the Press as some time ago. About fifty suggestions have been sent in, and practically every day the War Memorial Committee is receiving further suggestions. That's voluntary system should determined campaign for reunion that in the disposal of enemy Regarding the proposed Government grant, it is believed that Hon. Mr. Claud Severn has Chinese merchants in Siam decided to wait until the new have sent in an appeal to the Governor arrives. The Memorial Givil Governor requesting that will most likely cost a million steps be taken to prevent the dollars, and it is thought that the Siamese Government from Government grant should be at least half-a-million.

> call a meeting of all the Subwill have an opportunity of

The Peace-Celebrations Com- gade. had been raised.

KEEP TO THE PAVEMENT. SATURDAY'S GYMKHANA.

SOME TIPS.

FRIDAY.

Owing to two Gymkhana having to be run through within one month, the training has been very much upset and probably some the training and the new course has been heavy.

following tips:— First Race :-- Morning Star. Second Race: Malcolm.

Third Race:-Grey Mouse or Rochester. Fourth Race :- Dusky. Sixth Race:-Viola. Seventh Race:-Pink Eye or

Mountain Ford. YESTERDAY'S GALLOPS. Tytam Chief. 34 mile. -36.3/5,

1.09, 1.42. Flyford, M. Ford and Maybe 34 mile.-42-2/5; 1.18; 1.51-2/5. Seyhoon, 34 mile.-49: 1.32

Love Joy, 1/4 mile.—last 1/6.— 23-2,5: 1.8-2.5.

5, 1.50 1/5 ; 2,25-2,5. Rochester, 1/4 mile. -34-2/5: Catford, 34 mile.-42; 1.17

1.49-3/5. Swallow, 1 mile .-- 40-4/5; 1.18-14: 1.52-4/5: 2.22-3/5.

Grey Mouse.-40; 1.18; 1.50. 2.22; 3.01; 3.34.

Viola and Second Fiddle, 1 mile -35:1.10-2/5:1.45:2.17-4/5:2.20M mile.-37-2/5; 1.9-4/5; 1.44.

1.49-3/5; 2.25., 1.45; 2.22-3/5.

SHANGHAI FIRE BRIGADE.

TO BE REORGANISED.

organise the Fire Brigade on the since the revolution in Germany basis of merging the voluntary made it possible for the inhabitfiremen into a body of paid em- ants to voice their sentiments. ployees, and concentrating the Due attention will, of course, existing departments of the be given to this movement, and Brigade at the newly established the North Schleswig Danes have Hongkew Station, has brought suggested that these rather mixed about some friction in the Brigade districts are not to be treated as (says the Shanghai Gazette).

friction, or the merits of a paid as individual parishes. Especially against a voluntary system of fire in these. districts safeguards service, it is sufficient to note that against interference with the no great city in the world which polling must, however, be found, has tried both systems, has ever because the German element has

Changes from the voluntary to ings. the paid systems in many of the large cities of the United States resulted in riots and disturbances allegiance of Flensborg is the was adopted, and now it would about 60,000 inhabitants, and in all probability cause riots if an some 90 per cent. of these are recovery of Kiaochow. attempt were made to restore the German-speaking, but an active

old system. be in force in Shanghai, has been with their race, and meetings are a matter of comment on the part held in support of this demand in been dubbed "slow" in this matter. for retrocession signed by of these submarines. The service rendered by volun- 3,401 of the townspeople (male teers is most disinterested, and and female) has been forwarded granted a charter for the incorconsidering that they are not all to the Copenhagen Government: poration of the Sinc-American times at the Stations, is beyond but if the population of Flensborg Bank. reproach. There is, however, themselves do not pronounce Before deciding anything, the the question of new methods, decidedly for incorporation with specially trained men and officers. Denmark the town will hardly be members of the New Parliament care and supervision of apparatus, claimed by the vast majority of that they should find a way of Committees, so that everybody with rigid discipline incident to a the Danish people, and so far dissolving themselves or else let paid department, which must be public manifestations apparently the Shanghai Conference decide ing at Happy Valley. taken into consideration in any point to the effect that the plur- their fate. Following the Pre-

DENMARK AND SCHLESWIG.

PROGRESS OF THE MOVE-MENT FOR REUNION.

When last the Observer dealt

outsiders may come in on Satur. Danes it was only possible to Police Reserves, but, since the The rain has interfered sketch the general lines of the settlement, writes sequently the gallops took place correspondent. However, it was yesterday on the sand or heavy already then obvious that Danish claims would be based on the self-.An "Early Bird" gives the determination of the peoples (as laid down by the Rigsdag's resolution of October 23), and consequently, the procedure suggested by the Schleswig Danes themselves has been generally accepted

as the right one in Denmark. The aims of this policy, which was proclaimed on November 17 by the Controlling Council of the Voters Union (the political organ, isation of the Schleswig Danes) are as follows:

In North Schleswig proper (bounded to the south by a line running across the peninsula between points situated north Flensborg and south-west Tondern) a general plebiscite was Pink Eye, 1 mile .- 37-2/5; 1.14- demanded. Outside, the towns where some 20 per cent. speak German, this part of the country is almost exclusively Danish in language and overwhelmingly Danish in sentiment. The southern districts of the sparsely moor lands central part of peninsula have—at the later Reg Dahlia, 11/4 mile. -51: 136: elections to the Berlin Reichstag -shown German majorities in half a score of parishes. But even if the votes will be cast in the same way when the pres-Morning Star and W. Worker, sure of Prussian officialdom has been removed, still some 75-80 per Salamander, 34 mile. -36: 1.10; cent. of the population in North Schleswig proper are sure to vote severely reprimanded. B. Daylight, 34 mile. -39; 1.14, for re-union with Denmark.

It is consequently on the cards Smoke Box, 1 mile. 39: 1.14; that these parts will be redeemed, but the line mentioned above Meymoon, 1 mile.-35; 1.10; does not correspond with the boundary between the Danish and Alexander, 34 mile -- 38; 1:3 the German tongue; while the surnames. starting-points of the linguistier in the coastal regions roughly coincide with the divide between North and Middle Schleswig, the Danish-speaking districts form salient towards the south in the central parts, and though in former years Danish sympathies have never been pronounced down there, a movement for reunion with Denmark has gained strength in the northern and The Council's decision to re- eastern parishes of this salient

la whole, but that a particular Without going into the causes of vot; ought to be taken in the reverted to the voluntary system already resorted to violence and after having once abandoned it. | tried to break up Danish meet-

At-present, however, the future Damish minority is conducting a gate in Paris, has wired stating of strangers, and Shanghai has Denmark proper; a petition officers be sent to take charge of proposal to reorganise the Bri- ality of the inhabitants are in sident's lead, the Premier wrote favour of the connection with the Lower House saying the Toronto."-9.15 park of the company. Mr. Pasquier is tion to come to Canton to place mittee is now busy collecting. In seems to be purely a matter Germany. Apart from Flensborg Shanghai Conference had power Victoria Theatre 9.15 p.m. now a guest at the Victoria the matter before the Canton subscriptions, and already \$30,000 of deciding the best thing to do, a population of some 160,000 to to discuss the question of Coronet Theatre 5.15 and 9.16.15 and that is up to the Council. 170,000 is likely to be redeemed. Parliament.

CORRESPONDENCE

ITo the Editor of the "Hongkong Telegraph."}

THE POLICE RESERVES.

Sir.—I had no desire to encroach a second time on your with the question of the Schleswig | valuable | columns anent the leaderettes in your papers of the 23rd and 24th inst. and the letter of "Willing to Carry on" tend-to create the mistaken impression that all grumblers are slackers and men who were pressed into Germans. The brutality of the service, I cannot refrain from

doing so lest I be considered one

of the same class. whilst the Corps was in its in- he was shot in cold block. When voluntary duties and attended put in chains and compelled to made 80 per cent, of the force likewise. ("Willing to Carry On."

please note the percentage). Though I am pleased to learn through your columns that the search supervising duties will be shared equally by all, yet it does appear preposterous that regulars cannot spare four or five men for wharf duties and thereby earned rest.

> Yours etc., "DISGUSTED." Hongkong, April 25, 1919.

Sir,- Awaiting Discharge sounded the right note when he said that "Willing to Carry On' may be one of the "favoured

For writing something to the same effect to his pony-paut P. C. was disciplinarily tried and

A casual glance at the names of the N. C. O's and pong-pants of one of the Platoons would bring home to the most uninitiated the saying "blood is thicker than water" when one sees similarity of some of

Slackers or no slackers, this mode of recommending for promotion, by Platoon Commander and others, one's "brudder or brudder's brudder " is not healthy game in an organisation like the Police Reserve, and is it a wonder to Mr. "Willing to Carry On" that there is such a lot of discontent in the force? Thanking you for the space in

Yours etc.,

Hongkong, April 25, 1919.

TO-DAY'S CHINESE TELEGRAMS.

(Wah Tsz Yat Po Service.)

Peking, April 24. Foreign Ministry.

Luk Ching-cheong, head delewarships, China is entitled to four submarines. He requests that

The Finance Ministry has

Shanghai, April 24. The President has hinted to the p.m.

To-Day's Exchange.

The closing rate of the dollar on demand to-day was 3s 4.15-16d. The Weather.

Forecast : cloudy Barometer : 29.87. Temperature 2 p.m - 76. Humidity 2 p.m.: -90.

LEST WE FORGET.

Something like 200,000 natives had been done to death by the German soldiers towards their native porters was shooking. These porters were overburdened. I joined up voluntarily in 1915, and when one became exhausted fancy, and have performed every hostilities began the Germans duty allotted to me. In addition, seized all the native clergy and I have performed many extra teachers. The native priest was every drill, musketry practice work on the roads, while the and inspection. My record is a clergy and teachers were pressed clean one, and I may safely say into service as porters, and many I have always been relied upon of them died from exhaustion and for extra voluntary work. Yet, disease. The treatment of the Mr. Editor, I am discontented Indian prisoners of war captured for the same reasons that have in the early months of the war was most disgraceful. Improper food was provided, and, when large numbers of them fell sick, a callous indifference was shown towards them, and the proportion of deaths was an alarming one. -Statement made by the Rev. Clement O. Andrews, one of a party of British missionaries in German East Africa who have since arrived give the whole force a well- in London, to a representative of the "Times." Published January 22, 1917.

> Chang Jok-lum, Tuchun of Fengtein, has replied to the On Fook Party which asked for protection for the new Parliament, saying defence matters on the Mongolian border are more important than an internal quarrel. He is even thinking of recalling all troops and concentrating his attention on this question.

Luk Wing-ting's delegate interviewed the President and submitted Luk's proposal regarding the reduction of troops, requesting that the expenses for that purpose be borne by the

Central Government. Yesterday the Conference continued the committee discussion regarding the administrative. financial and reorganisation questions. Concerning finarcial question, they made particular reference to the question of how to draw dividing lines between the nation local taxes. All the delegates approved the suggestions made and decided to include this question in the local administration question for thorough consideration.

A certain Northern party has made strong efforts to advocate abolishing the post of Vice President, on the ground that all recent troubles in the country have been caused by the strife for the Vice Presidency.

A BRAVE PIANIST.

During an interval at a milit-. ary ball at Fanny Stratford, the - The question of Siam's ill-treat- planist, Mr. Arthur Lampill, of ment of Chinese merchants has Wolverton, went outside and fell been referred to Paris by the over some barbed wire, breaking his leg. He returned to the ball The Chihli Assembly telegraph- froom and, although in great pain, ed President Wilson, Mr. Lloyd played through the remainder of George, M. Clemenceau and the programme. He was then of various kinds, but the system point at issue. The town has Signor Orlando yesterday, re- taken to Northampton Hospital, questing their assistance in the where he died from the injuries

Aladdin at the Royal Naval Theatre. -9.15 p.m. Victoria Theatre 9.15 p.m Coronet Theatre 5.15 and 9.15

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AS SEEN BY A FLIER.

old, old sound; "Cherif" and honour all his own. "bernous" are new entirely to a "Mesopotamia," "Jerusalem," had

Turks in the Holy Land. try-even such a rocky, difficult they got him some from an country as Palestine and so set Egyptian dentist. apart by tradition-and sees it They are fond of the British, country to fly over," said Captain from the other Arabs.

life, of the cities in which he dwells.

The Arab, is, he says, a wonderful chap, intelligent and worth working for when the blight of the Turk is off him, with a way "Arabas" and "Bedouins" are of being comradely, a high sense words of a strange colour and an of humour, and a strict stern

"There was a famous Arab lot of us; and about "Mecca" and chieftain," he said. "a pictures-"Palestine" and "Nazareth," que old bird, who had twenty-eight wives and "Damascus," there is a rich and been wounded thirteen times and old-gold glamour which un- and had killed seventy-five men suits them utterly for casual, in single combat He had been in current use. They are brocaded sorts of raids all over Arabia and too heavily for wearing every day. Syria. The Sherif of Mecca, most So it is strange, even after all direct descendant from Mohamour war-news training, to med, gave a dinner in honour of hear them falling rapidly and the amalgamation of all the tribes matter-of-factly from the lips of from Arabia to southern Syria' a boy in the light blue uniform of when the heads of the tribes the British Royal Air Forces, a came to swear their fealty. And small and extremely young-look- after this old bird had eaten two ing pilot who, looks lost and courses he left the dinner, and alienated when sunk in the deep the sound of hammering on stone cushions of a chair in the lounge could be heard outside. Then he of the Hotel Vanderbilt. This is came in and mumbled, 'Pray, Capt. Alan Bott, who flew first pardon me for having presumed in France, and then in Palestine to sit down with you and eat with and Syria. where he went with Turkish teeth. He had taken out General Allenby's army to fight his Turkish teeth and smashed them on the stone, and he could But one who flies over a coun- eat no more of dinner. But later

spread below quite openly on he said. "An Englishman can sunny morning and moonlit travel in any part of Arabia and nights, set up a kind of intimacy not be molested, except, perhaps, with it. Nazareth from above may by the Bedouins who would kil seem as natural as London or a man for an old shirt or his Chicago. "It is a wonderful boots. The Bedouin is different Bott, but the wonder for him wanders over his sand and lives, comes not from the brocade and no one knows how. He has no old-gold tradition, but from the conception of numbers above ten actual beauty of the land, from and knows nothing about time the bright and subtly woven except by the sun. He is brave colours of that strange creature and lawless, and he is often called the 'Arab, and the daily starving."

PIANOS

FOR

ROBINSONS

Everywhere they go becomes a desert. But Mesopotamia and Syria, now that they are irrigated, will be as rich as Egypt, with three crops a year. The country will go back to what it was before the blight of the Turks came on

As for the Turk, he said:

Captain Bott tells enthusiastically of the work of the Army under Col. T. E. Lawrence, a young Oxford don, who started out as a lieutenant, who put on the Bedonin dress and went to the Cherif of Mecca, and with the Chief's son, Feisul, who is now re-Conference, organised the different tribes into one army, living among them as one of them, and coming up for conferences with Gen. Allenby in his flowing robes and his bernous, which is

the headress most in vogue. While Gen. Allenby was having the scrap in Palestine proper," Captain Bott said. "Lawrence and the Arabs were tearing up the German railroads with their their bare hands. And he 'led them up the long track of the desert to Deraa, a railroad junction, where they round up the Fourth Turkish Army. When I was taken to be interrogated by the Germans in Nazareth, one of them said to me 'These Arabs are giving up the fight with you. We have a letter from the Cherif saying there is no use, that we are the stronger, and they have given up.' I thought, of course, it was a damn lie. But when another British officer told me that he had been told the same by the head of the Fourth Turkish Army, began to believe it. Not untill I got back to London did I see Lawrence, and I asked him whatever that story was and whether it was true and he said, 'I wrote those letters myself, so that the Turks would lay off us. And it

Captain Bott's own adventures were many and various! He got to Palestine just after the fall of Jerusalem, landing at Jaffa, having first flown around the Sphinx and the Pyramids and circled over the desert as far as the Temples of the Kings at Karnak. His joy was to y over to Nazareth and do "low straffing," which scared the Mohammedan soldiers badly, bombing the signal stations, and "sitting" on the airdromes so that no German planes could up for signalling, while British cavalry went captured Nazareth.. was n on April 24 last year that Caption Bott was fighting and he came down, with his machine afire, on the rocks. "There are no landing places in Palestine," he said.

For awhile he was confined in the Austrian hospital at Tul-Keran south of Damascus, fifteen miles from the sea. When he The tried to escape in a little boat he was brought back and put into a slimy dungeon in Nazareth under the fort, and, after another frustrated attempt at getting away, to a mud village in the heart of Asia Minor, where he had a loaf of bread and three eggs a day. But through the gullibility of Turkish doctor who thought the fits that Bott threw were real. he was sent to Constantinople. where, with the aid of a woman spy, a German passport; and the bridge across the Bosphorus into the Turkish city of Stamboul, he and an Australian captain finally escaped. For three weeks they masqueraded there in Stamboul, Bott as a German, the Australian as a dirty old Arab. and another British officer as a young Euro-

pean girl. The story of all this, and of how they all got away on a Russian tramp steamship in a little room which had six inches of bilge water in it. landed at Odessa, and finally at the British Mission at Sofia, will make very good listening in Capt. Bott's lectures, along with the story of the Allenby campaign and the general subject of flying in Palestine. His first lecture in New York, was illustrated by pictures he took during his flights. For, after getting well, he went back to Syria again and flew over Damascus; and the land which stretched below him there was, he says, the most beautiful he has ever flown across, with the rivers and the desert and the hills.

THE BAN ON RUBBER FOOTWEAR. A meeting of British importers of rubber footwear from America and Canada and of British manufacturers of these articles was held at the American Chamber of Commerce recently, to consider steps for the removal of the embargo on imports in view of the shortage of rubber footwear here. The proceedings were private and it was stated later that no decisions had been arrived at.

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Owing to my absence in Paris I have only just had an opportunity of reading Lord Northdine's famous article in the New Illustrated of Feb. 15 on Mr. Lloyd George. In this article occurs the following passage: "The British nation is generous towards those who serve it well. It fallows good service to wipe out past weakness or error; and it is right in this. It did not recall Mr. Lloyd George's silence in 1915, when it was whispered about, and known for a certainty, that by failing to sand our Armies in France the high explosive for which Sir John French (then Commander-in Chief) was repeatedly asking. Lord Kitchener was endangering our chances of victory."

This is a repetition of the attacks made upon Lord Kitchener by Lord Northcliffe's papers in May, 1915. Those attacks were then so far justifiable that they were an attempt to rouse the country to a sense of the dangers of a very perilous situation. It is notorious that that time there was a grave deficiency of heavy guns, of high explosive shell, and of munitions of all kinds. It is, at least, excusable that Lord Northcliffe did not stop to inquire too nicely who was responsible for this state of affairs. Further, Lord Kitchener was then alive, and was able to defend himself if he thought fit to do so. Now he is dead, and Lord Northcliffe has had ample time in which investigate the truth of This charge, which he repeats. - KITCHENER'S VISION.

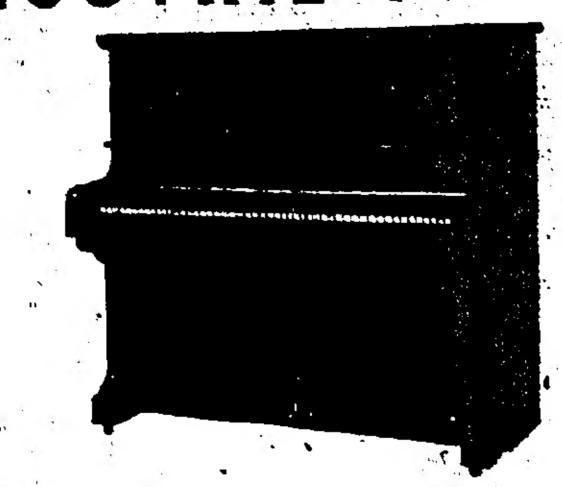
Lord Kitchener was called to the War Office by Mr. Asquith on the outbreak of of war. He was not a magician, and he could not at a touch provide the vast machinery and establishments required to equip a nation in arms. but he could and did foresee, what no one else foresaw, that in order to win the war we should have to arm and train the manhood of the nation.

Neither he' nor any other difficulties, and to develop to the soldier in Europe had, how- utmost such of our industries as ever, conceived of a war could be turned to the manuin which guns would be in action facture of war material. Thereall day and every day. In pre- fore, early in April, 1915, Mr. vious wars collisions between the Asquith appointed a Special Comopposing forces had been inci- mittee, with Mr. Lloyd George retired from the post of Chairdents; in this they were as chairman, to deal with these, man of the Canal Control Compermanently in touch, and matters, and the responsibility mittee, and the President of the needed for their daily work for them passed out of Lord Board of Trade has appointed as much ammunition as had Kitchener's hands. in the past sufficed for a great engagement. I remember well hearing of Lord Kitchener's look | As is well known, the attacks of horror when he heard that on made by Lord Northcliffe's paper the morning of March 10, 1915, at in May, 1915, nine months after Neuve Chapelle, the first and the outbreak of war, upon Mr. least of our battles in trench war- Asquith's Government and upon Sir Abe Bailey, and god-daughter fare, our guns had fired off more Lord Kitchener, were largely in- of the late Cecil Rhodes, was ammunition than had been ex-strumental in bringing about a married recently at St. Mary's, pended during the whole of the political crisis and the formation Bryanston-square, to Major W.F. 2 South African war. The Ger- of the first Coalition Government. Christie, R.A.M.C. Mr. Rudyard mans had not supposed that such The Ministry of Munitions was Kipling gave the bride away in masses of shell would be required inaugurated on June 5, 1915. the absence of Sir Abe Bailey, and they attribute their failure In May - 1916, that is, who is at present in South Africa. tions entailed.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE'S PART. None the less Kitchener did at once proceed to expand our manufacture of guns, shells, and other munitions. In October. 1914. Mr. Asquith appointed a Special Munition Committee of the Cabinet, of which Mr. Lloyd George, then Chancellor of the Exchequer, was a member, assist the War Office in these matters. The first warning as to the seriousness of our position came, not from Lord North cliffe, but from Lord chener, who, on March 1915, stated in the House of Lords that owing to such difficulties as "absence, irregular time-keeping. slack work, and the temptations; of drink," the output of munitions was insufficient to supply "the enormous demands, not only " of ourselves, but of our Allies. and he added, "I can only say that the supply of war material is "causing me very serious anxiety. He said further, "This output can only be obtained by a careful and deliberate organisation of the whole resources of the country." - Mr. Asquith's Government recognised that it would be beyond the power of the War Office to carry through alone such an organisation, to obtain the necessary labour, smooth our Labour

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in 1914 largely to the fact that just eleven months later, and Her train of white satin, which, they ran short of ammunition; thirteen months after the institu- like the rest of the wedding-gown. our French comrades were equalition of Mr. Lloyd George's was draped with Limerick lace, ly surprised, and Sir John Committee, the first complete was carried by Miss Mary Bailey, French, who as Chief of the Im- shell produced by the new her step-sister, and Miss Sylvia perial General Staff before the Ministry was fired in France. Christie, sister of the bridegroom, war was responsible for our pre- In the interval between May, both little girls wearing pale pink parations, had not supposed that 1915, and May. 1916, every round frocks, with pink veils held by we should be insufficiently of ammuntion fired by our guns wreaths of leaves. provided with shell. All armies was produced under arrangeengaged had, in fact, to learn by ments for which Lord Kitchner experience what the new condi- was responsible; this included the | Although port wine is now arprovision of the large quantity of riving in considerable quantities shells fired in the Battle of there is not yet enough on the Loos, in September, 1915. Lord market to meet the demand, and Northcliffe, in fact, charges Lord prices show " little sign of Kitchener with having failed to declining. Regarding the scardo in nine months what Mr. city, a wine merchant explain-Lloyd George first began to ed to a representative of accomplish in thirteen. During the Daily News that after its those thirteen months Mr. arrival it requires time to become Lloyd George had, and rightly acclimatised. Some months at had, far larger powers to least are necessary before it is fit control labour and industry than, for consumption, and some wine Lord Kitchener, ever possessed, requires to be kept years in bottle. Further, when Mr. Lloyd During the war large quantities George assumed control, the needs of wine were lost through enemy of our Army and the requirements submarines. In the last few of trench warfare, which had sur- months before the armistice 600,prised the military world, were 000 dozens were destroyed in this beginning to be appreciated, and way. As to the high price, it was he had the benefit of all the ex- explained that the first cost of perience which Lord Kitchener wine has gone up in some cases as

had gained, and of all the prepar- much as 400 per cent. Whereas ations the latter had made. before the war it cost no more than Lord Northcliffe's statement—30s. to bring a pipe of port from Op"That, by failing to send ortoto London, the freight extra to our armies in France the and insurance charges increased high explosive for which Sir John this price to £30. It is true that French was repeatedly asking, freight and insurance are now Lord Kitchener was endangering going down, but the cost of bot-our chances of victory "-is there- tling is double what it was, and fore an unwarrantable attack in addition to this and the great upon the man who laid the increase in the first cost there is foundations of the victory which a shortage in all wine producing we have won. May we hope countries. I do not think, that in future Lord Northcliffe, therefore," the authority added, like the British public, will be "there can be cheap wine until generous towards those who have there have been plentiful served us well.—Daily News. vintages.".

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MR. LLOYD GEORGE'S FUTURE:

There was a time, before the war, when Mr. Lloyd George used for all; as a long as the to wage bitter war against the classes, the landowners and the Tuchuns hold sway there will be invitation to inspect the Corps, inordinately rich members of the community. In those days, he no peace or rest for the nation. was not the popular idol that he has since become. His Liberalism took on such a vivid complexion that it was scarcely distinguishable from out-and-out Socialism, and in more than one quarter it was PLEASANT SPEECHES. suggested that he might one day become the first Labour Premier of Britain. Much water has flowed beneath the bridges since that time, and in the hurly-burly of politics Mr. Lloyd George has come George's Day dinner at to the top, not as a Labour Premier, it is true, but as the Hongkong Hotel on Wednesday Coalition Prime Minister. During the war, he showed that he was night were of a singularly apthe right man in the right place; his energy and unbounded propriate and exceedingly interenthusiasm placed him on the top rung of the ladder, and few there esting nature. Vice Admiral "Sir were who disputed his right to the place.

Quite recently we have had a General Election, and there is to be no novice as a humourist, not the least doubt that the voters, in sending back Mr. Lloyd judging from the manner in which George with increased power, did so from the standpoint that it was he interspersed a most instructive right and proper that the Coalition, whose efforts had made victory and engrossing resume possible, should be entrusted with the task of settling the terms of navel doings during peace. But now that the presentation of the prace terms is within war with frilliant flashes sight, there arises the question of the Premier's political future. of wit. In the course We know that he has as his present colleagues men with whom he of his lengthy discourse, which it can have little, if any, political sympathy, and the point is whether was impossible to report in the on the big questions of reform which are pending he can run in Press verbatim the Admiral told harness with the present Cabinet. In regard to Tariff Reform, of us many things which, up which he was formerly a staunch opponent, it is evident that Wednesday evening, had, to the he has itrimmed his sails to his erstwhile political enemies, but lay mind, been the question is whether he will jeopardise his future political puzzles and had, on many career by following this policy on other matters, or, on occasions during the war, brought or one month, being imposed. the other hand, whether the Unionists in the Cabinet will be to the tip of many tongues the prepared to water down their views so as to make them acceptable the query "What is our Navy to a man of Mr. Lloyd George's outlook on life. It is true doing?." The explanations given that during the war the Premier wielded an almost autocratic on certain matters proved to be power and was given practically a free hand to do as he has so simple, yet so feasible, pleased. But these things were so from the very nature of the that, one wondered, "Well, prevailing conditions. Has he in the circumstances lost any of his why on earth did I not think of with a Turkish sword by Comdemocratic ideals, or, from what he has seen and known of the that before?" The speech was a mander Locker Lampson, M.P., people in the dark days of war, is he more than ever convinced of triumph in after-dinner oratory when he presided at a lecture for them and so it would be for happy marriages in this world. contrary. Teachers should have the presided at a lecture when he presided at a lectur the urgent necessity of pushing forward long overdue reforms? The which would not have been miss- given by the latter, at Chelsea Asquithian Liberals will say, of course, that Mr. Lloyd George has ed by those present for a Town Hall, on his experiences in Your kind and went about differ- tight-lipped Trades Union we've before they leave school all there badly compromised himself in the eyes of the progressive elements good deal. Mr. Bird was Russia. It was explained of the electorate by his association with the Unionists and Con- also in happy mood with many Commander Lampson that while servatives, but if any explanation is needed, the Premier would very interesting anecdotes. The ron his armoured car squadron was well be able to argue that he took his political opponents under his Mr. Holyoak's references to 'is fighting in Turkey quite a lot wing because of national expediency at a critical moment in the Excellency the Officer Administ- loot was captured, and a special, is neither here nor there, for no- your "makee learn" coolie would can respect than pick up a country's history

We now hear from Home that political folk see in Mr. Lloyd ceived with vociferous applause Lord Jellicoe, under whose George's recent speech a resolve to free himself from the predomin- and there was no room for doubt command the unit was. ant Unionist influence in the House of Commons and to embrace as to the public's feelings towards the time. Unfortunately the opportunity of taking up the leadership of the democratic the Hon. Mr. Claud Severn sword went to the bottom of the elements which have strongly asserted themselves in the recent in regard to the manner in which sea on its way to England, but he bye-elections. That would be the quickest and most effective he has administered the affairs asked His Lordship now method for the Premier to extricate himself from his present rather of the Colony during the past few accept another sword, and a pistol, sagacity and his aptitude for keeping well to the front. It would was the bon mot of the evening Jellicoe, in accepting the trophies, also be a trifle awkward for the Asquithians, who have been doing and a reflection of his happy promised to keep them as a pera deal of crowing over the results of recent bye-elections. But if and genial temperament wherein manent souvenir of the great the Premier comes out as the democratic champion, what will there perhaps lies the secret of his work done by the armoured cars be to dissociate him from the Labourites? So maybe even yet we success as a Colonial Adminis- in France, Turkey, Rumanis and

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

SHANGHAI'S WAR MEMORIAL

Like Hongkong, Shanghai has been casting round for a suitable method of signifying mindfulness of the successful termination of the 'war. Several suggestions have been made, but the question does not appear to have "exercised the public mind to the same extent as in Hongkong, if one may judge from the correspondence on the subject or the lack of it, in the Shanghai Press. One writer in a Northern contemporary outlines some appropriate schemes, any of which might be adopted and not form an inefficient memento of the great event, despite the fact that the scribe, after making the suggestions, proceeds delibrately to knock them, each and severally, on the tions of the problem are a statue at the foot of Avenue Edward junction of the same avenue and the Bund, the formation of a civic centre and the remolleding of the Public Gardens to form rived from London on the s.s. let that fles stick to the wa' to produce the same effect as the that city, should also go in a the "key" to any design that Saiyo Maru are Messrs. P. F. S. onyhow....... might be carried out in stone or Pullen, L. S. Stephens, H. B. bronze. Then comes the question Waring, K. W. Keley, D. Phillips Unofficials in the sent the Chinese, French and British, or whether the three their own. All of which go to show that it is not only at Versailles that portentious problems have to be solved. Howin Hongkong have not, so far, been able to arrive at a satisfactory solution of the problem.

In the muddle and confusion of gained that the Peking General ing a portrait of the late President Staff and the Ministry of War of Portugal, Sr. Sidonio Pais, this should approve of the Southern month, inserts also an appeal contention that military men from a Committee organised in should not interfere in politics, Macao for raising funds for and that the military chiefs have a monument to be erected in been advised accordingly. But Lisbon, in memory of such an the point that will most naturally eminent and deserving President. occur to one, apart altogether from the sincerity or otherwise Messrs. Thos. Cook and Son inclination. trouble in China at the moment: Visitors to the Colony will take no heed of the central au- much value. thority, and who, there is good reason to believe, are by no in Europe, so in China-mili-

The speeches made at the St.

Frederick Tudor proved himself ering the Government were re- sword was selected as a gift for

DAY BY DAY.

IT TAKES TWO TO MAKE QUARREL-BUT WHEN ONE IS WILLING, IT'S EASY ENOUGH TO FIND ANOTHER.

According to Religion e Patria a pilgrimage to St. John's Island will take place next month.

ing of members of the Hongkong open the matter. That's no' like-Jockey Club is to be held in the 15 though, for their new Presidoffices of the Honkong. Jockey ent's going to be very busy for

Yesterday there were notified for six cases of plague (four fatal), work. Helyoak said in contwo of cerebro-spinal meningitis nection with the Association's (one fatal) and one fatal occur- work rance of enteric fever. All were wise to make haste slowly, which

head. Amongst the possible solu- commanded by Captain Lairner, their wild rush to get Constitu-U.S.N., arrived in the Harbour tional Reform in one act. But he and then proceed to Manila.

auction has been withdrawn.

The Religious Patria in publish-

of this endorsement, is whether have issued a new handbook of Peking Government has information for travellers landing the power, even if it has at Hongkong. It is well produced to keep and deals with Hongkong, Canthe Tuchuns under control. These ton, the West River, Macao, Tuchuns are the source of all the Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. they are military parasites who donbt find the little booklet of

H. E. Major General Sir means above allying themselves Francis Ventris, Commanding with the enemies of China. As the troops in South China, has informed the Shanghai Municipal tarism must be killed once and Council by letter that he was but that he had delegated a Field Officer to carry out the inspection on his behalf.

> A fine of \$1,700 or in default three months' imprisonment, was to-day imposed by Mr. G. N Orme on a Chinese who attemptnim at the Kowloon-Canton Railway Station yesterday.

A Chinese was caught by a tickets were found carefully con-

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ROBBIE'S LETTER.

TO HIS NEPHEW AT HOME

Hongkong, April 23, 1919. Dear Alick.

.....and so it would seem that

providing that the Constitutional The half-yearly general meet- Reform Association doesna re-Club to-morrow (Saturday.) noon. the next year, and filling two jobs, except your getting paid both, iis vary tiring last year, it is very true, for look at the terrible mess o'things the Bolwe're likely to see many Mass Meetings at the City Hall within Among the passengers who ar- the next twelvemonth, But we'll

of Commerce have our clocks The "Kung Ching," a steamship things sacrosanct in Hongkong, attached to the ankles her sons and on all those who again, the question whether there belonging to the Chinese Govern- I didna care a curse which way of the Carthagenian maidens have a tender love for her. ment Salt Revenue Department, it went for I would have got up were there as a symbol of virtue which is now lying at the Yau- at the same time in the mornings rather than as a freakish method mati Bay, was to have been anyhow, though to be perfectly of attracting attention to their Allied nations shall each provide auctioned to-day by Messrs. honest, I was looking forward to weak femininity. Now, old man Hughes and Hough, but the that extra poker-playing hour at Hamilcar, the father of Hannibal, bed-time. All the same, I hope noticed that his daughter Salambo that this will be a lesson to had been naughty, because of her Dr. F. Lindsay-Woods, Hon. Shanghai no' to presume too broken ankle chains. The flappers ever, we must leave Shanghai to Secretary of the Hongkong Ten- much and think that they're in those days had to be careful, Kowloon at 2.15 p.m. to-morrow, nis League informs us that owing the only cock on the midden for if they didn't take a the home team will be :- J. P. to the paucity of entries, it has heap. No that I think for a goldsmith round with them Robinson, D. M. Goodall, A. A. been decided by the Working minute that Hongkong took on such occasions, on reach- Claxton, H. H. Tayler, C. J. Sub-Committee to confine those the pet because Shanghai didna ing home, they were quietly Stapleton, C. P. James, L. J. entries to one division this year; send out a feeler first, strangled. As it was, Salambo Blackburn, K. R. Macaskill, R. As a consequence, each Club will but all the same it'll learn them went as a cheap job lot to one of Pestonji, J. D. Birrell and H. play every other Club once only. the next time no' to take too much her father's black friends. It Overy. for granted. Though we can no didn't matter much anyhow, for longer call the streets our own she had the decency to introduce and we've let every landlord in some nice fresh arsenic into her the place ride over us rough shod. system on her wedding night, so daughters in particular. Hunting

> fact that such lot of such sympathy the plea on be-

I'm telling ye.....

it is the human female. that does ostrich-like, think if they demand when you think of it, it's no more the attracting and that," no so that had houses be abolished that | indelicate than some of the talk much wi' her physical qualities they we got hold of an original that goes on round in our homes as by the aid of artificial plumes. idea and that they've pushed for- when our lady friends discuss in Boiled down it would seem, for the ward the millennium a couple o' gruesome detail their ailments better carrying out of the scheme notches. There's some sensible and operations. Some o' them of sex attraction, that woman women, on the other hand, that affairs are organ recitals, no tea must express herself through instinctively see in these places parties. her clothes in a way as widely a form of protection to their sex

divergent as possible from that of in general and their unmarried

cess must be ever-changing and the strain it must be of ringing the changes so

often that causes womenfolks' dress to develope into the freakish. That's as it seems to me, under the heading "Macao" all the tosh written by men, in writes as follows:-women magazines, to the contrary. Talking about the hobble as Hongkong is for none of this extra skirt reminds me that I read again in their normal state. something the other day where a large numbers of pilgrims will lady's man on the question of certainly flock to Lourdes from fashion tried to trace the every part of the globe. Is hobble skirt from the golden it not possible to arrange ankle chains of the days of a pilgrimage from this Colony Hannibal. Incidentally the last to such a blessed sanctuary? time women had this particular Many of our compatriots resident sort of covering, its origin was in Hongkong, Shanghai and traced to the influence of the other parts in the Far East will Japanese Kimono. That was no doubt be pleased to join in just at the time of the this grand manifestation of love Japanese Exhibition in London, and thankfulness to the Blessed You pay your money and take Virgin, and it is simply just your choice. Well, anyhow, this that Macao, noble by its ancient. chap would have us believe that and glorious traditions and being The U.S. cruiser New Orleans, shevists in Russia have made in the girls of that period minced one of the first cities of the world along in chains in order to that rendered its sincere and emphasise their gentle cuddle- filial devotion to our Lady this morning. The cruiser will needna be afraid, for all things me-do qualities and at the same of Lourdes, by presenting to. VII, a triumphal arch at the made a stay of about tendays considered. I don't think that time accentuate the difference her the beautiful and artistic. between them and the wide step- lamp which is being kept in a ping uncouth male person. The prominent place in the main modern hobble skirt is supposed chapel of the splendid basilics of chains. Now you can prove devout pilgrimage to that vener-As I was saying, our embryo anything to anybody, provided of able and fortunate spot where the Chamber course they're ignorant enough. most Holy Mother of God apinclud- If I read history aright, the peared eighteen times, bestowing among short thin golden chains immense graces and favours on all

yet we've some Dignity left, mind her intended husband didn't feel down our unfortunate sisters is

all the world have been intro- well in their way, but you need a position is made economically ducing a delegation from the chilled steel conscience to be a sound; until women are trained Amahs' Guild. And you never top notcher at that game, and the so that they can take their place The Hidden Hand is man or woman possessed of in the world and not be dependent no liable to break out onywhere. that sort of uncomfortable on the whim of men for their Maybe the Chamber had in asset is generally too un-clothes, board and lodging; until view the possible danger of sympathetic and narrow-minded women are paid a wage that will future commercial competition to be worth heeding onyway. keep them in comfort, thus not when the British Bouncing Baby Singapore and Shanghai seem to making, it necessary that their of to-day would be the wide- have a few, though, and that sort salary should be augmented girthed taipan of a generation of thing is very apt to spread. in any shape or form: hence. Onyhow, the motion was No' that I'm inclined, mind ye, to until mothers realise that their lost by a couple of votes. If the uphold our oldest estblished daughters are not so many places Gas and Electric Coy's profession; but it makes me of merchandise to be offered in representatives hadna been tremble to think of the flood return for a good home to the present it would most likely of hypocrisy with which likeliest young fellow that comes have ended in a drawn game and | we would be overwhelmed if the around; in short, until women then what would have happened? Purist broke out here. The plague | realise that if they have nothingfor I see from the Telegraph and influenza are bad enough else but their personal charm to fashion pictures that hobble in all conscience, but at worst offer as a quid pro quo, the tenskins are coming in again. Why they only disturb our sense of dency of society must inevitably goodness alone knows, for it isn't physical comfort. A Purity be in favour of an imas if the fashions were being Palaver, on the other hand, would moral life, legitimate or changed so as to save cloth. let loose such a lot of cant as otherwise, as opposed to an ined to smuggle 15 taels of illicit The short petticoat skirt of the would for years after make us dependent and virtuous existence. opium to Canton. The Police, past year may have been blush for ourselves, even in the I expect by the time all this comes who found the drug secreted a bit chilly, but it allow- dark. I'm always a bit suspicious about we'll be beyond caring anyed freedom of movement of the chap that goes round how, having in the meantime and certainly discouraged dirt, telling other folks what a taken lessons in the art of even if it did show to what extent fine chap he is. This whanging a harp while balanced deformity of feet prevailed among is in effect what is done when on an under-sized pink-tinted our womenfolks. Like all fashions someone gets up somewhere and cloud. Still, there's quite a Preventive Officer in possession though, it was overdone, for at condemns his fellow-folks. To lot that can be done while of lottery tickets. With a fine the tail end of the craze, our bud- indicate even by inference that we're on the waiting list disregard for the fact that the ding Godivas were considered you're any kind of species of the for our Heavenly Home. It's the quite in order so long as they did lily is no a matter for congratula- obvious duty of every parent to cealed in his socks and trousers, actually display their knees, tion. As Burns said, you've tell their children as much as this Chinese put forward the old While, it lasted though, the Peep- "aiblins ne'er been tempted." they know themselves about this excuse of being given them to ing Toms got good value for their On the other hand, the sort of thing and the effects of carry." The inevitable punish money, but I've often thought doctors must have many a self-indulgence. If they can't ment was inflicted, a fine of \$100, that a few back-view snapshots quiet chuckle to themselves on bring themselves to do it then let would have put an effectual crimp recalling some consulting room them hire a doctor to elucidate. in this abbreviated form of dress. confessions. If there was any Though It's better to conceal the thick danger of their speaking at times look on venereal disease ankle than a warm heart. Now, there would be less enthusiastic like any other trouble, you always find plenty of folks platform purists and more real eschewing its immoral aspect that think it's the proper thing to reform. By the same token that is yet I've sufficient faith poke fun at the womenfolks and | though, if there was less etiquette | in them to believe that they would their fashions, but I'm no inclined and more humanity in this very as soon prevent as cure, all that way. It's a serious business connection there would be less un | monetary consideration to the by ent from other lads. For a man got and runs the confessional is to know on the subject. The to dress oddly means either a lot very close. Some folks can kids are going to know anyhow. of nerve or a badly choked men- plunge into a vice campaign wi' but isn't it better that they should tal carburettor. Whether or no' the same kindo offhandedness as know from a source which they body cares a curse onyway, but attempt to make meringues wi smattering of irresponsible half. wi' a woman it's a different thing nothing but a broken frying truths and dirty innuendoes from It shouldn't be, of course, but it is, pan and an overweening sense their playmates? and there ye are. It's mighty cur- of his own importance to Aye, it's a very deligate subject, ious, isn't it, that of all the animals | see him through. Some folks, | to discuss in front of children, but

the male. Naturally such a pro- SUGGESTED PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES.

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particularly slighted after all worse folly than letting a wound What pleased me most about There might be some analogy heal from the outside. A leper the Daylight meeting was the between the chains and a yard sometimes looks fine till you see a hard- wide skirt, but I wouldna' risk my his chest or his toe nails. Howcommercial reputation as the father of a over much we may wish it, we'll. citizens should have received wi' family in being emphatic about it. never do away wi' that sort 6 but I don't think that we'll thing if we've got to depend on half of the babies. It was so well have the same kind of thing here, the efforts of man for its put by Beavis that he might for Purity campaigns are all very consummation. Until woman's modern

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heard what was happening

took panic and fled. They were

The hearing of the case was

Before Mr. Justice Melbourne,

The April Criminal Sessions were opened this morning, before Sir William Rees Davies, K.C., Chief Justice.

RETURNED BANISHEE. Lam Shing pleaded guilty Magistracy with being implicated in the war. to a charge of disobeying an order in the robbery. of banishment.

The Attorney General, the Hon, prosecuting Police Officer, were Mr. H.E. Pollock, K.C., said that four robbers, armed accept yourself and convey to all the accused had been banish with knives, entered the second ed six times, the last time floor of the house, and after infor life. Accused was previous, timidating the inmates, they ly convicted for stealing, larceny ransacked the place, and stole a and burglary, on different occas- quantity of clothing and money

to the amount of \$11. Whilst His Lordshipsaid accused was they were at their work, a Chinese servant girl happened to return a very bad character. Accused said he was well to the house, and, when she fully,

known in the Colony. His Lordship-Oh yes; you are inside. raised the alarm well known: -(Laughter). Four with the result that the robbers years' hard labour. pursued and two defendants were

BRIBERY" CASE. Churn Singh pleaded guilty to Nathan Road, near the Dairy

arrested at Cameron Road, and charges of giving a bribe, being Farm, respectively. in possession of house-breaking implements and being in a build- adjourned by the Magistrate, Mr. ing with intent to commit a G. N. Orme. The Attorney General said the complainant in the case, Abdal

Mahomed was employed in the apparently went to the factory at Government opium factory at the time stated and the door was Morrison Hill Road and was opened for him. There was no approached by the defendant and doubt that the prisoner beanother man with an offer of a lieved that complaint was your Comittee. sum of money if the defendant going to work with him. were allowed inside the factory. Mr. Alabaster submitted that the The complainant informed the accused was into the prime mover police and as a consequence in the affair and in view of his of . that, a watch was past good character and also the kept and at about 3 o'clock in fact that he had pleaded guilty. the morning of April 6 the he should be leniently dealt with defendant went to the factory and His Lordship, passing sentence was let into the factory by com- of nine months hard labour, said plainant. The defendant then he hoped the lenient treatment opened a safe with a false key accorded accused, would be an there took a inducement to him to retrieve his bunch of keys which open. character when he came out of ed the opium stores and prison, by leading an honest life.

proceeded to steal some of the ROBBERY AND WOUNDING. opium. The police who were on the watch then arrested the Lau Fun was charged with robbery by two or more, wounding accused.

Mr. C. G. Alabaster, O.B.E. with intent to avoid arrest and on behalf of the accused, said the with wounding. case was rather a hard one and. The accused pleaded guilty. of course, it meant the ruin of The Crown Solicitor, Mr. G.H. the career of the defendant. He Wakeman, appeared on behalf of had the prosecution and the prisoner hitherto borne a good character, was undefended. having been in the service of the | The jurymen were Messrs R. Police for five years and pre-Soondoram, A Curreem, S. viously to that nine years Longfield C. M. S. Alves, R. V. in the Army. The accused Cameron, W. J. Wilkinson and appeared to have succumbed J. F. Fisher. to a sudden temptation in Outlining the case for the which he was undoubtedly Crown, the Crown Solicitor led on by the complainant said a golf caddy who was who, on instructions, desired to instructed to take some golf trap accused. His Lordship would clubs from Fanling to Wong see from the deposition that on Nei Cheong was walking along April 4 the complainant, who was Wong Nei Cheong Road and in charge of the factory, saw the when he got to the gap two defendant and another man a men, one of them the prisoner, watchman. It was the watchman sprang out and attempted to Committee who I am sure will be distant places are influenced to help good until I tried Baby's Own Tanot the defendant who suggested steal, the complainant's coat most grateful for your Branch's on the work among the fatherless blets. They gave relief at once and to the complainant that they which was being carried help.-Yours very truly., might all make a certain amount on a basket slung to a bamboo of money if the watchman and carrying pole. The complainant the defendant were allowed into resisted and one of the robbers the factory. Later on in the day bolted. The other robber, the the watchman and the accused, drew a knife and atdefendant went back and saw tempted to stab the golf caddy. Committee of the Royal Soldiers the complainant, (in the meantime Subsequently the thief tried to the latter had informed the run away but was eventually don to acknowledge the receipt of police) and arrangements seem to caught and taken to the police have theen made between com-station plainant and the watchman that! Evidence was then taken after everything would be made easy. Which the jury found the accused They were to go the factory at a guilty. Sentence of three years' certain time and bring hard labour was passed.

a certain amount of Prisoner made a statement money and the door was to be from the dock lasting over an opened for them. The defendant hour.

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The Hon, Sec. of the Ministering Children's League forwards copies of letters which have been received by the Hon. Treasurer acknowledging donations sent by the League during the past year, as follows:

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13th. January, 1919. Dear Madam,-I have received through the Commander-in-Chief, Pertsmouth, a draft for £190, 18, 9, being a donation to the above fund from the Committee of the Annual Bazaar, held in connection with the Ministering Children's League, Hongkong Branch.

I thank you most sincerely for this very handsome gift. It is indeed very generous of the Committee to have placed so large a sum at the disposal of the Trafalgar Orphan Fund, and I should esteem it a Committee an expression of warm appreciation and thanks.-Yours faithfully,

> (Sd.) F. THURSBY, Vice Admiral.

ST. DUNSTAN'S.

5th. January, 1919. Dear Madam, -In the absence of Sir Arthur Pearson who sailed for America on the 21st, ulto, I beg to acknowledge with many grateful thanks receipt of the splendid con-The two Chinese who were tribution of £238.13.5. the part arrested in connection with the proceeds of an annual Bazaar held armed robbery which was per- by the "Ministering Children's petrated on No. 54, "Haiphong League, Hongkong-Branch, for the Road, were to-day charged at the benefit of soldiers and sailors blinded

> I enclose an official receipt for this amount, and with it I hope you will responsible for this gratifying addition to our funds, an expression of very cordial thanks on behalf of the men who will benefit by such truly practical interest in their welfare. Sir Arthur Pearson will be told of. this contribution on his return, about the end of February.-Yours faith-

> > (Sd.) E. M. BATES. Secretary.

CAPTAIN FEYATT MEMORIAL FUND. 7th. January, 1919.

Dear Madam,-I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your favour dated the 20th. November, and once again it is my pleasant duty to express to you on behalf of the Committee of the Fryatt Fund our most grateful thanks for the further munificent donation of £270.10.0. which you are good enough to send us. I shall be greatly obliged if you will convey our heartfelt thanks to

I am sure you will be pleased to hear that we have been able to do a lot of very good work with the previous donation which we received from your Committee and should you at any time care to hear of the parade on the Cricket Ground on Mrs. Tang cases which we are dealing with Sunday, the 27th inst., at 9 a.m. Mrs. Beswick in assisting the dependants of Mer. Dress:-Helmets, shorts, puttees, The Pharmacy ... chant Officers who have lost their haversacks, waterbottles. Stret- "X. Y. Z." lives in the war, in educating and chers are not required. bringing up their children, etc., I 2. The Brigade records with Mrs. Jordan shall be very happy to write you deep regret the death of Private Mrs. Mackenzie ... fully on the subject. Your present Un Tsung Kan, Saiyingpun Miss Wallace donation will be used as you desire Division. for the special benefit of children.-Yours faithfully.

(5d.) T. W. MOORE,

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> (Sd.) E. L. F. JENNINGS, Secretary, The Boyal Soldiers' Daughters' Home.

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NEW JAPANESE SERVICES.

A general meeting of the new Kawasaki Steamship Company was held on April 3, when it was decided that the total capital of Y.20,000,000 be paid in and that two lines be opened, one to Calcutts and the other to America, SHANGHAI & TSINGTAO Chenan tons each.

FIRE ON A SHIP.

Fire broke out in No. I hold of SHANGHAI.....Sunning the Kongosau Maru, which arrived at Yokohama from Seattle on April 4 at 1 a.m. on the 8th. The flames were extinguished with her own pumps, but a large number of bales of raw cotton was charred, and the damage estimated at between Y. 5,000 and Apr. at 11 am. Y. 20,000.

A CAPTAIN HONOURED.

Captain J. McLean, master of the s.s. Ramsay, owned by the Sutherland Steamship Company, Telephone No. 36. New-castle, has been awarded Hongkong April 25, 1919. the silver medal of Lloyd's Committee for meritorious service in attacking and sinking a submarines in the Mediterranean on April 27, 1918. The submarine was disguised as a trader, and the Ramsay sank her at the tenth shot.

CAPTAIN MORTON PROMOTED.

According to information obtained from the Manila office of the Robert Dollar Company, Capt. Morton, of the Melville Dollar, has been promoted to be the shore captain of the Canadian Robert Dollar Company in Vancouver, and Mr. Wright, formerly first officer of the steamer Bessie Dollar, has been assigned to take the command of the steamer Melville Dollar, relieving Captain Morton.

VANCOUVER ENTERPRISES.

Seattle financiers have put forward a proposal to construct at Vancouver, a 22,000 ton steel dry dock, together with shipbuilding and repair plant involving an expenditure of approximately £300. 000. They are prepared to commence work immediately, provided that the Dominion Government subsidy of 41/2 per cent. offered under the Dry Dock Subsidies Act is forthcoming, and that the Government of British Columbia will guarantee the principal and interest up to 55 per cent. of cost of the property. Blake Pier). The proposal is being submitted forthwith to the Dominion and Provincial Governments.

A JAPANESE LAW SUIT.

The Kobe, Shinko Kisen Kaisha has instituted a suit for the restitution of a sum of Y1,500,000 Shinko Kisen Kaisha ordered a steamer of 8,500 tons from the Asahi Shipyard Co. and this vessel was completed on Decemping market was in a state originally stipulated. When company deposited a sum of proceedings to recover this amount.

NEW RIVER STEAMER.

The new str. Risvaer was launched recently at the Pootung yard of the Shanghai Dock & Enginegring Co., Ld. The Risvaer is of the Friederikstadt type of Norwegian standard ship, and the last of the kind to be built in China, the first being the Solvaer launched last year by the Dock Company and on com-Great Britain during the war. She will be equipped with the latest appliances for the quick-handling of cargo embodies the latest ideas in ship means that she will carry approximately 3,000 tons of cargo. With triple expansion engines she will steam 10 to 11 knots on 1,600 i.h.p. Her length is 277-ft., 42-ft., mould. eds breadth, and 20-ft. moulded depth. Her owners are Messis. Muller & Johnson, Berger, Norway. The main engines and boilers, steam steering gear, steam winches, steam windlass, evaporator, winch condenser, Weir's type feed pumps and heater and other auxiliaries, have all been contructed by the builders in their own workshops and the vessel is highly finished and sequipped for ber

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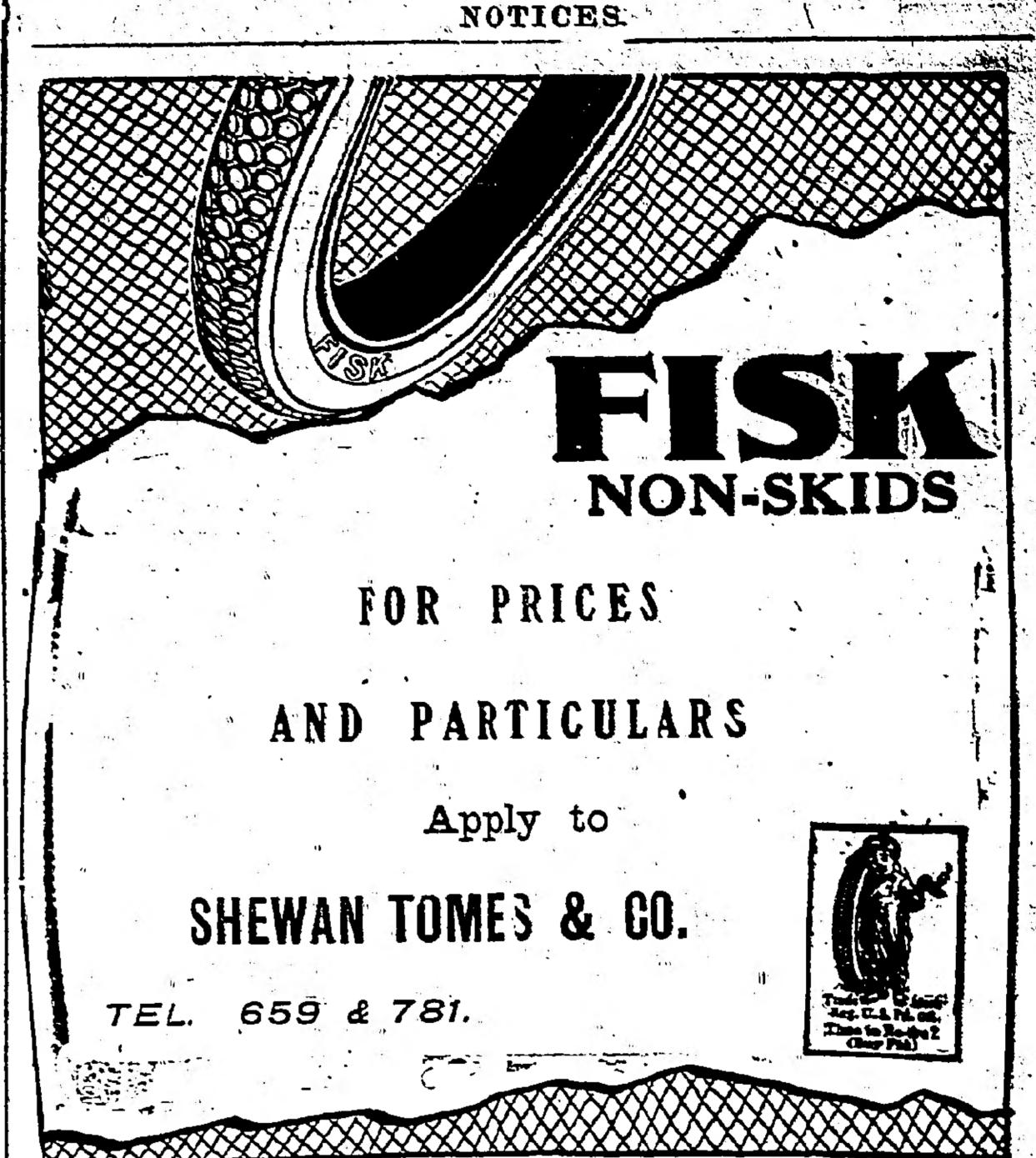
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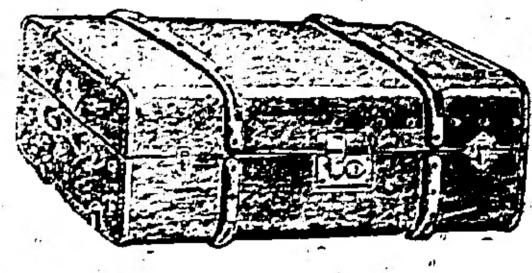
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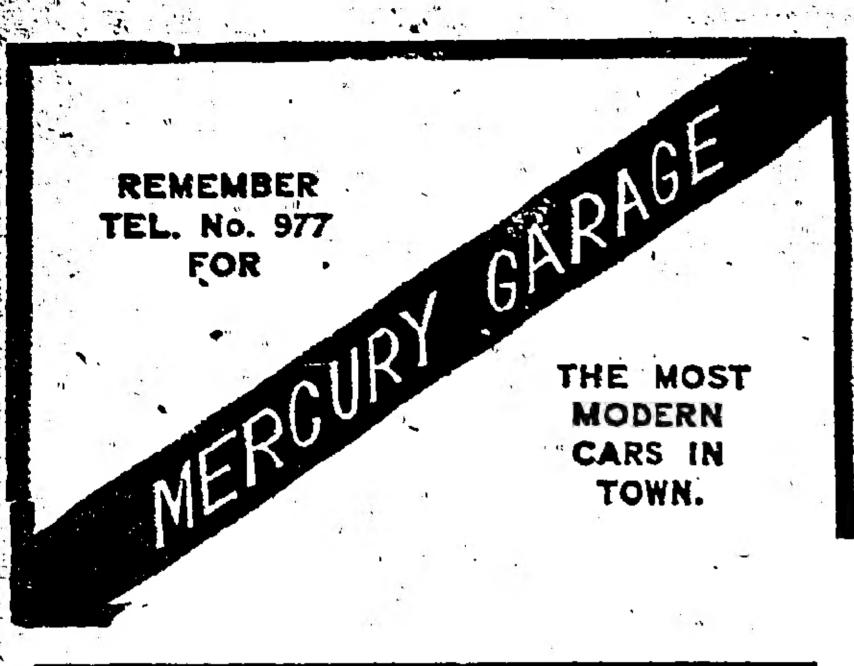
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Administrative Orders Major H. A. Morgan, Administrative Commandant, state:

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LEAVE.

Pte. J. E. Joseph, "B" Coy., is granted one year's leave from 15.5.19. Pte. A.J. David, Mounted Sec., is granted 5 weeks' leave from 24.4.19. Spr. E. Grant Smith, Eng. Cov., is granted 7 months leave from 1.5.19. Gr. A. Stevenson, Arty. Coy., is granted 5 months' leave from 15.5.19. Pre. A.A. Claxton, "A" Coy., is granted 5 weeks: leave from 25.4.19.

PARADE.

The Corps (except Engineer Company) will parade as strong as possible on the Polo Ground at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, 29th April, to practice Ceremonial. Dress, drill order (shorts and putties). Officers will carry swords.

EXAMINATION FOR PROMOTION.

Reference Corps Order No. 5 dated 10.1.19, a lecture will be given by the Adjutant at Headquarters on Wednesday, 30th April, at 6 p.m.

ARTILLERY ORDERS.

Orders for Artillery Company .D., state:

Both Half Companies will parade with the Infantry Battalion at the Polo Ground at 5.30 p.m. on Thesday. 29th instant. Uniform, drill order resolutions which were passed at North Chinas (shorts & putties). Hongkong the meeting held on the 10th Unions residents' parade outside Law Courts at 5 10 p.m. and proceed by tram to Causeway Bay.

The following will compete:-- upon the ancillary resolutions. Steamboats Right Half-CS.M. Bradbury. which become effective upon be- Indes (Pref.) Sergt. Manuk, Corpls. Martin and ing passed by a similar majority. Indos (Def.)
Rouse, Bomb. Railton L'Bomb. Mr. Ormiston seconded the Shells Garrell, Gnrs. Chassels, Compton. Oliphant and Redmond. Left Half-Lieut, Danby, a/C.S.M. solutions. Frith. Sergts. Henderson and Mc-Pherson, and Gnrs. Dunlevy, Mackay, Sorby, D. Young, Overy and Goldfinch.

ENGINEER ORDER.

Orders for Engineer Company by Lieut. R. Hall state:-

D.E.L. Practice Runs for trained men are discontinued after April 25th until further notice.

D. E. L. Instructional Class for Recruits.--Recruits will attend for D. E. L. Instruction under R. E. Staff Sergeants at Belchers at 9 p.m. on Wednesday, April 30th. Officer on duty. Lieut. Stevenson.

Instructional Classes for Officers and N. C. Os.—Officers and N. C. Os. will attend at Wellngton Barracks for Infantry Instruction Class under R. E. Instructor at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday. April 29th, and on each subsequent Tuesday until further notice.

Infantry Instruction.-Nos. 1 2, and 4 Sections will parade at Wellington Barracks, and No. 3 Section at Taikoo Dockyard, for infantry instruction under R.E. Instructors at 5.30 p.m. on Friday, May 2nd, and on each subsequent Friday until further notice. Recruits will attend these parades.

These parades take the place D.E.L. Practice Runs, and medical certificate must be forwarded with explanation of nonattendance.

Pay for March will be issued at Engineer Company Office, H.K. D.C. Headquarters, between 1.30 and 2 p.m. on Saturday, April 26th, and between 5 and 6 p.m. on Monday April 28th. Pay not ham, Pte. J.C.M. Smith and Wiseman's drawn by April 29th will be for-feited and refunded to Treasury.

COMPANY MEETINGS.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LTD.

An extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd., was held at noon to-day. to confirm the extraordinary reon leaving the Colony, to date solutions that had been passed at the previous meeting. were present the Hon. P. H. Holyoak (Chairman), the Hon. Mr. S. H. Dodwell, Messrs.

W.L. Pattenden, J.A. Plummer Forbes, A.O. Lang. Ross Thompson (Directors), C.H.P. Hay (deputy general secretary) He Kom Tong; the Hon. Mr. Ho Fook, Ho Leung, E.V.R. Souza, R. Dashir, E. Ormiston, P.M. Hodgson, J. Cochrane, D.B. Murray, W.R. Mansfield and G. Grimble. Chairman, said: This

meeting, gentlemen, the notice of which you have just heard read, becomes necessary to enable you to have the opportunity of confirming, as special resolutions, the resolutions which were passed unanimously at the extraordinary general meeting held on Thursday, the 10th April last. Our reasons for recommend-ing that the Society's capital be converted from silver into gold were given by me at that meeting. and as my address to you was also fully reported in the Press, it does not seem necessary, unless you so wish, for me to go further into the matter. The four ancillary resolutions before you, which bave been read, were by Major J. H. W. Armstrong, referred to by me at the meeting on the 10th April, and in effect speak for themselves. It is only necessary to pass these as extra- H. K. & S. Banks b. ordinary resolutions, but this cannot be done until all the Cantons April last have been confirmed Yangtszes by you as special resolutions. Far Easterns I will, therefore, submit to you the resolutions in their proper The Barker Cup Rifle Com- order for the necessary confirma- China Fires petition between Half Company tion, for which a majority of H. K. Fires teams will take place at King's three-quarters of the shareholders Park's Range, Kowloon, at 9.30 present is necessary. When this a.m. on Suday, 27th instant. is done. I will ask you to vote Douglases,

BRITISH TRADERS INSURANCE CO.

The extraordinary general Kailans. meeting of the shareholders of Langkats the British /Traders Insurance Shanghai Loans Co., Ltd, was held this afternoon Shai Explorations at the offices of the Company. Raubs There were present the Hon. Mr. Tronohs" H. Holyoak (Chairman), Urals the Hon. Mr. S. H. Dodwell, Messrs. W. L. Pattenden, J. A. Plummer, A. Forbes, A. O. Lang, H.K. Wharves s. Ross Thompson (Directors), C. K. Docks H. P. Hay (deputy general Shai Docks secretary), D. B. Murray, P. M. N. Engineerings b. Hodgson, W. R. Mansfield, B. M. C. da Cunha, V. L. Remedios, A. E. S. Alves, V. R. R. Riberio, J Gardner and M. A. R. Souza.

The Chairman's speech was identical to that made by him at the meeting of the Union In surance Society at noon. -

Mr. D. B. Murray seconded al the four resolutions, which were passed unanimously as special Ewos resolutions. .

· INFANTRY ORDERS.

Orders for Infantry Battalion Green Island by Major H. A. Morgan state: China Borneos

Tuesday, 29th April.-5.30 p.m. China Providents. b. 'A", "B" and Machine Gun Companies, Mounted Section (mounted) and Signalling Section on the Polo Ground. Dress, Drill order. Officers will carry swords. Hongkong residents will parade outside the Law Courts at 5.10 p.m. and proceed by tram to Causeway Bay.

CADET COMPANY. Strength.—Sergeant C. Gra- Wm. Powells Bugler L. Graham are permitted to resign, on leaving the Colony, to date from 12, 4, 19.

TO-DAY'S ADVRTISEMENTS.

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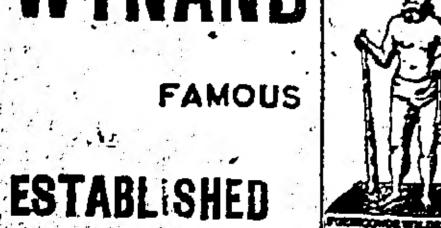
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RESULT OF EXPERIMENTS.

Duily News) there was published | and height of the stage is flooded in these columns an article on with the loveliest progressions "Colour Music" which was then being largely discussed, though "Record of the Education Society" eventually the movement and the (No. 38) is a description by O.S. invention which gave rise thereto | which by no means exaggerates was lost sight of in the war, the effect of this wonderful Apparently, two gentlemen, un- rhythmic dance of rainbow known to each other, were working at the same idea, Mr. A. B. Hector's patent being registered soft darkness, relieved by the red in Australia three weeks before glow of an electric light. At the the arrival of a book on the same I far end parted curtains disclosed subject by Mr. A. Wallace Rim- | a dais made bower-like with ington, A.R.E., R.B.A., Professor palms and greenery. Alert with as you round the one behind. of Fine Arts. Queen's College, expectation, we watch the screen London. An article in the behind the stage. The musician is Australian Town und Country seated at the piano. He plays a Journal of January 22, 1919, few soft notes. There flashes demobilisation, the mood of the

one knows that music is based | realm of changing fancy. | Called upon the octave, and whatever, forth by deep, rich music, a vivid the succession of intervals in each | crimson comes from the darkness scale there is a fundamental note. It is a well-known fact that if the to green, and then disappears. vibrations of any particular note | Now the yellow of the sun mingles are doubled the octave above it is sounded. It is also a scientific and in fancy we gaze over the fact that, if colour is split up, all | burning desert as we rest by an visible colours are resolvable into mixtures of those in the spectrumband or the rainbow, both of which contain all the primary colours.

THE RATE OF "VIBRATION.

Investigation has made plain that, as with the sounds in the musical octave, the rate of vibration of the ether at the violet end of the colour band is approximately double that of the red. To put it exactly, "the octave of colour. is in fact practically complete, and is a counter-part of the musical octave as regards the range of vibration, , which produces it. It does not extend to the first note of the octave above it, but constitutes one nearly complete actave in itself

This being so, it is advanced that just as a musician can play on the keyboard of an instrument, producing a succession of chords that induce asthetic effects on the hearer, so it is possible by playing on the octave of colour to secure a like æsthetic result to the trained eye and mind. Indeed, it would probably be more accurate to term this effect music-colour than colour-music; but the main fact to be remembered is just this, that there are octaves of colour just as there are octaves of sound. and Mr. Pector has all along foregoing, one of the most inter- bridges of compromise and con- show the way. maintained that when colour can be played upon just as sound now is, as well as wonderfully beautiful decorative effect, an art of æsthetic and emotional value results.

THE FIRST INSTRUMENT.

As has been said, Mr. Hector's first intrument was, as he himself well knew, crude and imperfect, but nevertheless it clearly enough enunciated emphatically the corelation of sound and colour; it established a principle, and those who had scientific imagination could easily enough in 1912 forecast a vast mechanical improvement. The problem consisted, and it bristled with difficulties, in the perfecting of the electrical mechanism which as it were, made visible sound-vibration in the corresponding vibrations of colour.

Six years of incessant, unremitting experiment has resulted in almost perfect adjustment of such mechanism, and now the rhythmic colour "dance is unspeakably beautiful to the eye. About the high decorative value of Mr. Hector's invention there can now be no possible shadow of doubt. Recently favoured with a private demonstration in the handsome music-room of the inventor at Greenwich (Sydney), I confess, although from the first I believed in its great decorative possibilities, that the results exceeded my most sanguine expectations.

A DANCE OF COLOURS.

lights at the rear of the stage, these lights representing the different colours of the spectrum-octave. All the front lights are turned down, then the curtains part, and seated at the piano Mr. Hector strikes the opening chords of a well-known sonata. Some years ago (says the N.C. Immediately the width and depth and masses of colours. In the

"The music-room is filled with

What is colour-music? Every- and we are gransported into a of the screen, changes to purple, with the shadows of the palms. oasis. Now we are under the shady trees of a woodland garden, children are laughing, birds sing, and fountains splash. Yet, as we watch, the colours deepen again to purple and blue. A wild sea lashing its waves on huge rocks throws up thin gossamers of foam. A merciless wind bends the trees on the shore. The low rumbles of thunder end in a mighty peal, and then-silence! Our boat glides across calm water. The hills rise up dark against the evening sun, showing the feathery outlines of

DEMONSTRATIONS BEYOND

"The colours brighten again A rosy pink trembles as if it wished to stay, and we ing to hold "it back, but it has gone, and another as elusive as itself takes its place. Now they are there together, hiding amongst the shadows of the palms. The sweet treble notes are calling them forth. We are drawn to them; we rise with them, and then quietly sink again as the music fades softly away."

"Again I add that the beauties of such colour demonstration is beyond all cavilling."

esting of which must be as to cillation across new social cre- Of the revolutionary threat in whether the colours range simult- vasses. The Cecils and the Italy I am not competent to speak monplace that when the profesaneous through the spectrum and Smutses were the complement to otherwise than to voice the sional officers were killed off in the range of the instrument or the Barneses and the Clynes. It suspicion that the frequency with such large numbers in the first only through an octave. The arti- was different, I was told in which we are now being asked years of the war and their places cle from which the above is taken France, where the gulf between to watch Italy seems to taken by educated civilians, the does not say, nor does it explain proletarians and hourgeoisie was be another illustration of Bolshe- character of the armies changed. the principle upon which any one abrupt, and no inclination existed | vism around the corner, but out of In Russia it was this new note is assigned to any one colour, on either side to throw out a sight. In addition I would recall class of officers that made the the wavelength of light of a understanding. certain colour the lower the note. There was a moment, early in Bolshevism might be largely the ceptible to the pressure of new the case a fascinating picture seemed in danger. Within a day ment, which is not averse to By reducing the present armies presents itself of compositions or two there came the soldier backing up its claims at the Peace of occupation to one-fourth their ranging a limited scale being disturbances at Folkestone and a Conference by the plea and threat size a notable return will be made accompanied by delightful effects demonstration in Whitehall by of dire consequences at home to something in the nature of a perhaps entirely in the varying several hundred men from one of otherwise. Chantage. my in- professional army, though a shades of one beautiful colour, or the camps near London. Here, formant called it; blackmail. modified conscription is mainthan the arbitrary allocation of a so in orderly manner. The men Government's plan for the or-tent. certain colour to a particular who rode into Whitehall rode ganisation of its Army of Occupa- But more than that. Such an note, in which event the whole away again after registering their | tion. idea can only be classed as music protest. And on the other hand, When an army of three and a in arms, but falling with time and with colour effects, but if the the authorities learned the lesson half million is reduced to less habit into the old professional physicist can eventually establish quickly. The men at Folkestone than a millions, you reduce the spirit, may conceivably be turned an affinity between colour and had a solid grievance and the | raw material of discontent by into a safe-guard against disconsound—and this may already be remedy was immediately applied. much more than the ratio of four-tent at home. done for all we know—then The demand for quicker de- fifths which the figures indicate. the colour interpretation of mobilisation voiced by the White- The two and a half millions who music may very well become hall demonstrators elicited an are soon going home will be the

possibility. For instance, if green Demobilisation speeded up. room, one end of which was oc- manner indicated would lift the plan for organising an army of with soldiering. In other words, ment as Financial Adviser. Since cupied by a small stage with a idea above the status of a very occupation of 900,000 men. That is you drain off those very elements a contract has already been enterdrop curtain. In front of the interesting and charming but, another way of saying to an army which the monstrous size of ed into between the Chinese stage on the floor level, on the nevertheless arbitrary, mechan of 3,500,000 men that nearly four the world war sucked into the Government and himself regardside, is an organ, on the other ical production of effects which fitfths of them are to be sent armies and who brought with ing his engagement, says the side a piano. Both are electrical- are already more or less the pro- home as fast as trains can them the civilian outlook Baron, he can proceed to China

BOLSHEVISM.

AS WESTERN EUROPE SEES IT.

Mr. Simeon Stransky writee in the New York Evening Part as

the Belshevik revolution that was levery five of them are soon going to sweep forward from Germany | home. Satisfying four men out and engulf western Europe? Ar- of every five is a wonderful riving in London, a matter of remedy against discontent; seven weeks ago one was told in especially when the remaining certain quarters that Bolsheviam fifth man receives a noticable was just around the corner. But raise in pay. That again is if the revolution is around the British foresight. corner, then it must be moving in - "You are not afraid of rethe wrong direction and at a pace

Some anxiety there undoubted- France, perhaps." ly was in England in mid-December concerning the problems of deals with the suject as follows: across the screen a gleam of colour returning troops, the temper of a Frenchman, and so likely to be the women who by hundreds of thousands would be turned out of their jobs in the factory and the the actual advent of the Soviet. though the name was common enough in extremeradical circles. for it on the Continent.

> factor—the traditional temper of exist? the British masses and the traditional talent and insight of the British ruling classes. British labour might be discontented. There is nothing Clemencau so restless, apprehensive, but it loves as a fight. He is a man was not yet ready for Sovie- after Lenin's own heart. tism. Largely factitous though the out-come of the British election there was no explaining Socialist in affiliation with the away the fact that while Labour Soviet, and therefore not inclined sent seventy-five members into to underestimate the forces of the House of Commons, and revolution anywhere. He quoted of them sixty-five anti-Lloyd statistics... George, it nevertheless rejected every one of the Labour leaders millions contribuobles, taxpayers suspected, whether justly or not, or, as one might say heads of of flirting with the idea of red families in this country," he said, revolution. British labour re-: "only two millions are of the pudiated Ramsay Macdonald, labouring class. The rest are pea-Snowden, Arthur Henderson, and sants and middle-class; in other

J. H. Thomas. On the other hand, my atten- here is badly organised." tion was called to men like Lord unless it is implied that the greater bridgework of compromise and the statement made by a very Revolution possible, and every-

in the scale. If this indeed be January, when such optimism creation of the Italian Govern-lideas, scientific and artistic almost immediate response, older men, eager for work

light of various shades by some. The British gift for tackling a service men who are phy-departure for China is delayed means was made to induce vibra- problem in time (always excepting sically and spiritually tired for private reasons, not owing to tion in a G-string—and a G-string Ireland) is best illustrated at the out, the educated men of busi- the protest alleged to have been only—and so on, the application moment of writing by the official ness, the professions, the arts, the filed by America with the Chinese ly connected with the coloured perty of a well-equiped stage, carry them. In every army, upon life. It is a com- at any time.

naturally, there is an intense desire to go home when the fighting is over. Our American soldiers are homesick. The French are eager to get back to their fields and factories. But while our own men are still in ignorance of the Government's intentions, and while nothing definite has as vet been laid of a far-reaching French demobilisation, the British Paris, January 31.-Where is soldiers now know that four our

volution, then?'

fast enough to turn another corner . "In England for the next two or three years? No. But in

So one went to France. Bolshevism coming, I asked one veteran observer, incidentally not more objective in his views.

"Bolshevism? Well, hardly." But how about the sharp gulf richer, freer life which the factory | between proletarian and bourgeois had brought them. But as for in France: how about the traditional hatred going at least back to the Commune of 71?

The gulf, I was told, is there, you were told in England to look but the bourgeoisie is altogether too strong.

The reasons for this belief, as I Then Clemenceau, supposing had them from various competent he is the imperialist his enemies! sources in England, resolve them- | call him, is prepared to challenge selves into a familiar historical popular resentment if it should

Yes, I was told. To the extent of-?

Possibly. Machine guus?

This view was confirmed to me from another source, from a maybe. Russian long resident in Paris, a

"Of something like eleven Lansbury and chose to be repre- words, property-owners; the dissented by Barnes, Clynes, and parity in numbers is too great. In addition the working class

And those middle-class people Robert Cecil, an aristocrat of a and peasants hold Russian bonds? broad and far-seeing idealism. Any number of French Socialwho embodied in himself the ists own Lenin's scraps of paper, innate gift of the British ruling I was told. Then Bolshevism west A number of interesting ques- classes for reading the signs of of the Rhine? Not in France tions present themselves in the the times for throwing new first I was told. England must

acute French observer that Italian where this class is most sus-

in another case a deep red thun- it seemed, was almost the Soviet | But if such are conditions at tained. Those who remain are derstorm ranging through the sun- coming to town on command- home, what of the armies? For, likely to be the man of the light of the middle clef to the eered motor lorries. Actually after all, it is armed men, whether adventurous type, with a taste blue sky of the upper register the outcome justified the at the front or at home, that put for soldiering and amenable to or it vice versa? There is, of cheerful view I have just through Bolshevist revolutions, the older discipline. Such an course, a possibility that at pre- described. The thousands who Here again we are driven back to army ceases largely to be a sent the invention goes no further demonstrated at Folkestone did the significance of the British breeding ground for social discon-

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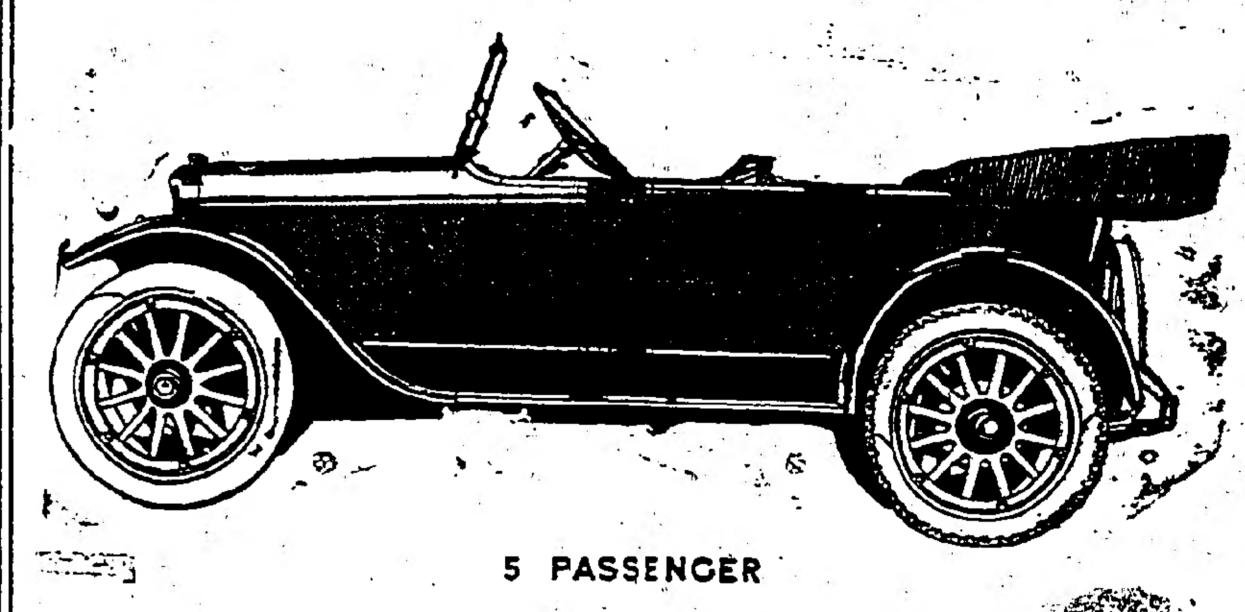
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Frankfarter it declared, was not as badly off encouraging. for raw materials as she had Captain Gwynn's idea is to get presences of European Kings and believed, because the War Raw over Ulster's objection to Home potentales" has been rudely des-Materials Department had a big Rule and at the same time to troyed by the present journalistic therefore, would very soon begin, three, State Governments within old order of things has given way whence, and/or from the wharves, Che nievely Mischel Maclatyre Master and Germany would soon be the island. These would be definitely to the new. supplying America with potash, federated under a central Irish Europe may not have adopted Goods not cleared by the 23rd optical and surgical instruments. Government, which would in its the American method of giving inst at noon will be subject to Clarton A dyes, and toys.

This view was general in Empire. more. Naturally, it is recognised will look at the plan so long as people are greatly gratified. that Germany's future as an ex- there is the possibility of a wider To-day we learn from the porting country is in great mea-success being won through the "New York World's Rome sure a political question, depend- Peace Conference, but supposing | cablegram : ing upon the indemnities and the that chance vanishes, there ought | "The Holy Father is by far the imposed conditions of payment, to be something to fall back on most democratic executive met and serious economists do not besides partition. If the Con- by Mr. Wilson since he came to dispute that only by means of ference consents to deal with Europe. This was manifest at exporting can indemnities be paid. Ireland at all, then I think it the special audience which he But on the purely commercial ought to have this proposal laid gave to the American correspondquestion whether Germany can before it in a memorandum signed ents accompaning the President compete for business against her by people with recognised names." just before his interview will present foes and the neutrals Arising out of this Captain the latter. He made a ten minute there is general agreement that Gwynn looks with hope to the speech in colloquial terms, and therelative prices of raw materials summoning of a new Convention | delivered it in a firm, resonant and of manufacturing production which would differ from the re- voice with off-hand informality," give her very small chances.

organisations, corporations, and Government would be pledged to adopted when the doors of the lately expressed themselves in effect. Certain matters, such as correspondents and their questhis sense. Typical is the report, the strategic and diplomatic tions every Thursday." published this month, of the unity of the British Isles, Union of Saxon Manufacturers, would which describes export prospects drawn from its purview, and as "very bad," the causes being its main business would be the reduction of working hours, to allocate powers to the several the tremendous rise in wages, and Irish States in the Union. What the high prices of raw materials. I hold," added the captain, "is Unless these conditions change, that the obstacle to self-gove.ncompetition with foreigners can- ment lies not in Great Britain, not be even dreamed of. The but in Ireland itself."

report says: affected our western neighbours, objection whatever to Ulster the price differences are very getting State rights, but on one great; so that unless our produc- condition—that Ulster accepts tion costs are materially reduced. the principle of an independent the foreigner cannot be overtaken. Irish nation. For instance, machines, which used to be a chief item in Gen- man many sexport, can be delivered by tion, is sailing from Liver-England at prices 50 per cent be- pool on a special mission to low ours . . Artificial flowers, the America. He will endeavour to production cost of which in Ger- enlighten public men as to the many is between 24 and 33 marks real position in Ireland and to a dozen are being offered by ascertain what is the state of French competitors at from 6 to 9 feeling in that country upon the francs. The textiles, which in ar great problem here. He said factories cost from 2.50 to 3 marks that only by a personal visit a metre, can be offered by foreign could he carry out this task. competitors at half that price, examples can be multiplied by portant thing in the world at the sometimes at under half. These many others. Under such circum. moment," he added. stances a resumption of export cannot be thought of."

A TYPICAL INSTANCE. The automobile industry is also relations with America, declares out of condition to compete, this that he feels extremely connot only because of prices, but cerned from the correspondence because of inability to deliver. he has received from his The Frankfurter Zeitung reports associates in the United States. that the expected fall in prices and His information is that the inundation of the markets with better feeling between England trucks and private cars has not and America, which came with taken place. The supply of pas- American participation in the senger cars is so inadequate that war, is gradually disappearing only persons who need them for and that the anti-English forces professional purposes are being are once more coming to the supplied. As regards trucks, the front. The fierce tide of Irish. Field Motor Truck Corporation, American feeling against Eng formed by manufacturers during land, which began with the the war in order to protect the executions of 1916, has now market against a price fall due to reached a more dangerous stage the abundance of army trucks than at any time within living set free by the conclusion of memory. peace, has had no work to do. At a meeting of the Dublin Independently of the 5,000 trucks | Corporation violent attacks delivered to the Allies under the were made upon the Reconstrucarmistice, there is a great tion Advisory Council apscarcity. Production prices have pointed by Lord French over the risen enormously, so a three-ton head of the Chief Secretary. A truck which cost 16,500 marks in resolution was telegraphed to the 1914 now-without rubber tires- Premier and seven other Ministers costs 30,000 marks. The last of State in London, where decisfigure was given before the great ions upon the subject are being rise of prices of metals and coal taken this week, declaring that at the end of the year, and, indeed, there can be no confidence in the before the last rise in wages; proposals of a council so conand the future figure is stated to stituted, and demanding that be from 40,000 to 45,000 marks.

fear future prices that they are democratic lines, as indicated by refusing to make binding con- Mr. Lloyd George." tracts, and in any case they will got undertake to deliver cars or trucks for shorter terms than two or three years. Obviously under such conditions export is impossible. Of the future of the dye and chemical export industry similar views are expressed. The firm of Friedrich Bayer, which before the war had many manufacturing branthes outside Germany and arport

TO AVOID IRISH PARTITION

CAPT. GWYNN'S SCHEME FOR FEDERATION.

Stockholm, January 21 .- Dur | Captain Stephen Gwynn, with still more so among Germans forlorn hopes as Irish recruiting be able to compete even if, after erament within Ireland. No peace is signed, she is given free public organising work has yet world markets. been undertaken, but the promises December, the of support from prominent men, Zeitung painted both Catholic and Protestant, optimistic who have so far taken no great picture of the prospect. Germany, share in politics, have been very

turn form a unit within the right of way in every detail to rent

cent Convention in that it would with no more pose or ceremony, have closely defined terms to quote another dispatch. "than

carry its recommendations into White House have been opened to probably

The attitude of Sinn Fein to-Even though the war has also wards the plan is that it has no DITY AND HILL DISTRICT WATER

Sir Horace Plunkett, chairof the Irish Conven-"The American view of the Irish Press Intermedia situation is perhaps the most im-

The London correspondent of the Freeman's Journal states that "a well-known man of business, who has very close business.

Irish reconstruction shall be dealt The manufacturers so much with by "competent people on

> ed 80 per cent. of its German production, declares in its annual report that it has no chance of recovering the foreign market. the reason being not so much increased production cost, due to the new eight-hour day, as the falling off in per capita productivity of labour, which now

amounts 50 per cent.

"SACRED PRESENCES" IN EUROPE.

SURPRISE AT THE · VATICAN.

New York, January 6.—American correspondents enjoyed their trip to Rome, and though the aspirations of the Jugo-Slavs appear to be a stumbling block to an Italian acceptance of President Wilson's principles, they leave for France apparently convinced that the counsel of Britain and France will win Signor Orlando to endorse the World League. There has been plenty of

evidence in the dispatches from Europe that many of the preconceived notions of American correspondents, as to "the sacred

newspaper correspondents, but German trade press, "I don't think," he frankly has come very near the mark, aged packages are to be lett in Cowan Capt PH hears it no admitted, "that the Irish people and to that extent the American the Godowns where they will be

A number of German industrial of reference, while the Roosevelt, Taft, on Wilson has

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INDO-CHENA STRAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

From CALCUTTA, PENANGand SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship

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having arrived from the above Binchen Mr & Mrs Loredeld 8 ports, Consignees of cargo by her LE are hereby informed that all goods Branch Capt & Mrs. C are being landed at their risk into | Back Major & Mrs the hazardous and/or extra ODR hazardous Godowns of the Horg- Colla L reserve of metals, leather, and avoid partition by the setting up tour, and they will come back kong and Kowloon Wharf and Coegrove JH reserve of metals, feather, and savoid partition by the probably home with the conviction that the Godown Company, Limited, Chemistraly land textile raw materials. Export, of at least two, but more probably home with the conviction that the Godown Company, Limited, Chemistraly land delivery may be obtained.

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No Fire Insurance will effected by us in any case what-Bills of Lading will be counter-

signed by JARDINE, MATHESON

& CO. LTD. General Managers. Hongkong, 17th April, 1919.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

TOYO KISEN KAISHA.

s.s. " BUYO MARU,"

From SINGAPORE, April 23rd.

Consignees of cargo are hereby notified to present their Bill of Lading for counter-signature and Aba'dia J take immediate delivery from Borm Beckeringh Mr& Mrs Meerlin Mr & Mrs alongside steamer or the Com- Brooks pany's godown, where all cargo Basto impending immediate discharge Flackami R will be landed at consignees' risk. Bosszes P. Cameron F. Storage charges will be assess. Cantenan F

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after the goods have left the Goujal J Steamer or Godown and none will Gordon Wm be entertained if presented later Hovercamp than three weeks after arrival of | Horby W steamer.

No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected.

T. DAIGO, Manager.

TOYO KISEN KAISHA.

Hongkong, 23rd April, 1919.

"TENYO MARU."

From SAN FRANCISCO, HONOLULU, JAPAN PORTS and SHANGHAI. Monday, April 21st.

Consignees of cargo are here by Lading for countersignature, and France, M B E take immediate delivery from Gallowsv Mr & M. s Rome F 3 de alongside Steamer or the com. Cill Mr. Mrs R E pany's godown, where all cargo Hamilton Mr & Mrastevene Lt impending immediate discharge Puxter will be landed at consignees' risk. Horce ? Storage charges will be assesson cargo remaining un-

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No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected. T. DAIGO. Manager.

Hengkong, 21st April, 1919.

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MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

The siz CEUTIC PRINCE is due to arrive here from New York towards the end of April.

The American & Manshuria Line LA. TJITABORM left New York for Hongkong, Manila and Sin tapore on the at this port on the 20th May.

The g.s. TOBOLSK left Bingspore for this Port or the 19th instant, and is due here on the 27th in tant.

The RMS. EMPRESS OF BUSSIA sailed from Kobe. April 24th, and is dus at Maga aki on april 25th. The B.V.S. EMPRESS OF JAPAN strived at Vancouver on April 9th. The B. M. S. RMPRESS OF ASIA arrived at Vanoouver on April 14th

NOTICE

HONGKONG GYMKHANA

LY GYMKH . NA MEETING OF THE SEASON will be held at PAPPY VALLEY on SAT-URDAY, the 26th April commencing at 3.37 p.m.

The Charge of Admission will be \$1.00 for others than Members of the Hongkong Jockey Club or Gymkhana Club.

Soldiers and Bailors in Uniform

The Committee invite the Ladies of Hongkone to be

A VEXED QUESTION.

There is frightful dissension at the sign of the Blue Triangle. which marks the Young Women's Christian Association, writes the Pioneer's lady correspondent in London. Certain of the Young Women wish to smoke. one or two centres a room has unseemly practice. The Council OFFICE BUILDING. actually been set apart for this are up in arms and strict enquiry has been set on foots The girls produce Passports or identificaimbued with the feminine spirit ition papers. which "has demanded votes and seats in Parliament insist on equal rights with the men At the sign of the Red Triangle smoke, they say. The M. C. A. provide cheap eigarettes along with their free notepaper. Why are the Christian Young Women to be barred from the pleasant vice? A smoking lounge as an adjunct to the Bible classes, shorthand lessons and cooking lectures of the pliance is a fine not exceeding ordinary Young Women's Chris- 150. tian Association may sound unsuitable, but the girls are out for their cigarettes and mean to get them. Meantime the unregenerate smile a little-or prescribe free rations of chocolate instead of Woodbines---but the issue is not in doubt. Woman can achieve anything nowadays." For the first time in the history of Parliament women reporters sat in the Press Gallery when the King opened the session. The Ladies' Gallery is, however, not yet open to men.

COMMERCIAL NEWS.

JAPAN COTTON.

Capital of March 14 remarks that from the beginning of Feb- undersigned. ruary the British cotton trade has been freed from restriction of output by which it had been regulated for more than "two years. Millowners are now at liberty to run as many spindles and looms as they desire for full weekly hours. The condition the trade, however, is not such that it can be put right at once, even though it is free to map out its own course, and the decision has come at a time when there is not sufficient business to enable producers to take advantage of this restoration to liberty. The Control Board is not yet disbanded, and it is suggested by several influential members that "the remainder of its days may well be spent in co-operation with the operatives' representatives in urging the Government to abolish all licenses and other restrictions, and give the industry a chance of winning back its great export business, which, if it means a greatdeal to Lancashire, means also a great deal to the nation at large."

JAPANESE COPPER MARKET.

The copper market in Japan remains dull and inactive, bardly any new transactions being reported, in spite of the fact that the price has come down very low and production has been cut down to I/T Singapore...... a great extent. With the except- rer Japan ion of a few big mines, all mines are either curtailing their production or closing down their refineries. A rumour that China has bought copper to a substantial extent in Japan on behalf of its mints has been circulated in the market lately, and among some operators it was hoped that it would affect the market favourably, but it seems to have failed to produce this effect.

PRICE OF COAL.

Hitherto the price of coal at " Panama has been G.\$13 per ton on the Atlantic side and G.14.50 on the Pacific side, but from April the price has been lowered to G.\$11.50 on both sides for steamers making the passage of the canal. For steamers which do not use the canal, G.13.50 per ton will be charged on the Pacific side. On the Atlantic side, the same price will be charged to all ships, whether passing the canal or not. The above prices are in effect from April 1.

BRITAIN'S COAL OUTPUT:

. The output of coal in Great Britain in 1918 amounted to 227,040,500 tons, being a decrease, compared with 1917 of 21,432,500 tons. Exports (including the coal equivalent of coke and manufactured fuel) amounted to about 35,000,000 tons, a reduction of 3,501,000 tons. Consequently, the balance left for home consumption (including foreign bunkers - about 8,908,500 Mons) was 192,062,600 tons, being 17,909,400 tons less. than in 1917.

NOTICE

persons, with ception of these of Chinese race, desiring to leave the Colony, should apply in person between the hours of 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. daily -AT THE PASS OFFICE, POST

Applicants will be required 5:

All persons with certain exceptions who remain in the Colony for more than 7 days are required to Register themselves under the REGISTRATION of PERSONS ORDINANCE 1916 Forms of Registration giving the particulars required may be obtained at the G. P. O. and at all Police Stations.

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LESSONS IN CHINESE

MR LI HON FAN, a Chinese graduate versal in literature, has been a teacher to European Officials and Merchants in this Colony for He has a good method of training Europeans to pass in the hinese examination, and is presented of a first rate certificate as a chimese teacher. He Those who intend 'corning the Chinese language are requested to write care of "Honglong Telegraph" Office or direct to No. 12 Wallington Street, first floor and to Mesera Ribeiro and Bilva, Old Suprème Court, Ground floor.

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Hongkong, 24th April, 1919.

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TO BE SOLD.

TO BE SOLD.—Pursuant to ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG-KONG dated the 7th day of March 1919 made in an Action in the matter of the Estate of HO TSUN SAN alias HO SHU TONG alias HO SAN OHUNG alias HO A SIK alias HO A SEEK alias HOA SIK deceased

Mr. GEORGE P. LAMMERT at his Auction Rooms in Luddell Street 🐣

WEDNESDAY the 30th day of April 1919

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THE VALUABLE LEASE-

HOLD PROPERTY

situa e and being Nos. 49 and 51 Hollywood Road standing on Inland Lot No. 200, Nos 402 and 406 Queen's Road West Nos. 5 and 7 Sam To Lane all standing the Remaining Portion of Section F of Inland Lot No. 800 Nos. 51, 53, 137 and 153 Second Street standing on the Remain-

has also a good knowledge of Mandarin and Hakka in Portion of Inland Lot No. 759 and Section G. and the Remaining Postion of Inland Lot No. 800, Nos. 27, 31, 35, 37, 39, and 41 Centre Street standing on the Remaining Purtion of Inland Lot No. 75, Nes. 26, :8 and 52, First btreet standing on the Remaining Portion of Inland Lot No. 759 and the Remaining Portion of Inland Lot No. 583, forms for No. 43 Graham Street standing Membership of the above on the Remaining Portion of Association may be obtained Inland Lot No 196, No. 30 Peel

THE UNION INSURANCE Victoria Hongkong. Lot I consists of the two sem!- I European Houses, Nos. 49 and 51 Hollywood Road he'd under a lic Auction on Crawh Lea e having 932 years to

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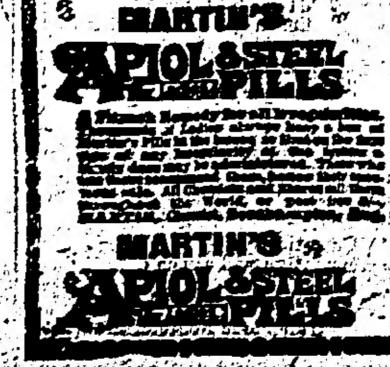
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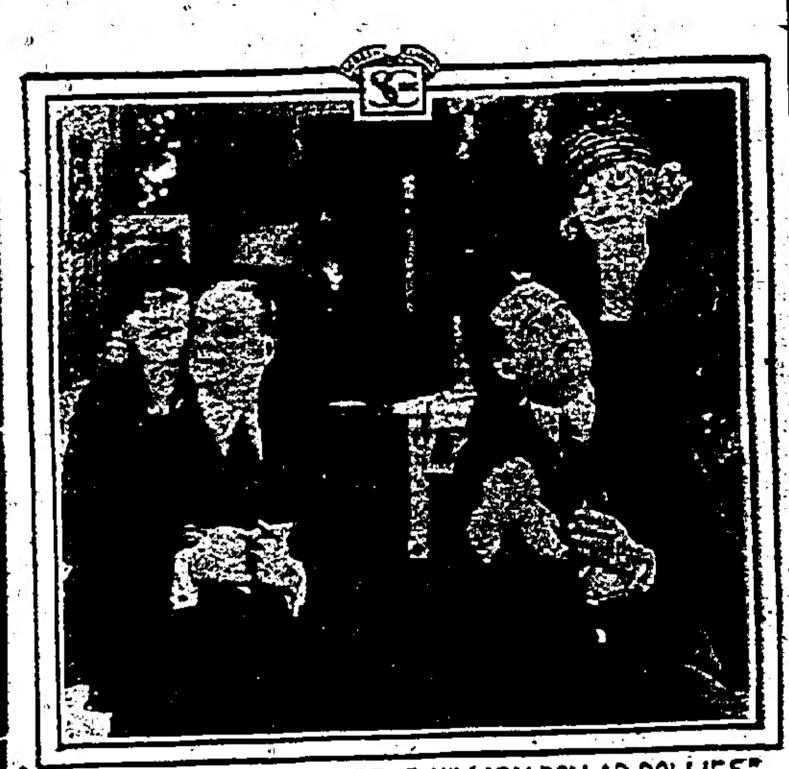
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